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Smiles for Seniors



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The Valentine's Day gifts put big smiles on the faces of seniors at Memorial Woodland Village Nursing Center.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

Last week, the senior citizens at Memorial Woodland Village Nursing Center received a loving surprise.

Diamondhead Rouses Market store director Chuck Clark organized "Sending Smiles to Seniors for Valentine's Day."

"Rouses Supermarket, Diamondhead, and the surrounding communities have adopted Woodland Village as the recipients of their generous spirits and gift giving," Clark said. "After an overwhelming response at Christmas time, we decided to in-

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Make-A-Wish sending 10 year old to Legoland

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Ten-year-old Bay St. Louis resident William Garvey got a standing ovation on Sunday when he and his family walked into El Gallo Mexican Restaurant in Kiln.

Responding to the crowd, William lifted up his mask, swept back his cape and said

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GOOD TIMES ROLL



BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Yes, there was a rain delay and yes, there was a post-parade controversy, but the Krewe of Nereids soldiered on with its 53rd annual Mardi Gras parade on Sunday.

"Besides the rain and the yucky conditions, I think all in all, the parade went pretty well, after the delayed start," Waveland Mayor Mike Smith said Monday.

"We appreciate Nereids," Smith said. "They do a tremendous amount of work to get ready for this. I

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Controversy over doll handed to child during Mardi Gras parade



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BY STACEY CATO
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Police are investigating after a 12-year-old girl was allegedly handed a black doll dressed with beads wrapped around its neck like a noose at the Krewe of Nereids Parade on Sunday.

Waveland native and Pass Christian resident Nicole Fairconeture said that it's a family tradition to gather together each year for a fun-filled day of catching loads of colorful beads while watch-

ing the Krewe of Nereids roll down Highway 90 in front of her uncle's place of business, B&J Pit Stop, near the Bay-Waveland city line.

"The kids look forward to going each and every year," Fairconeture said.

But this year took a turn for the worse and it wasn't because of the weather-related delays, she said.

According to Fairconeture, a white man

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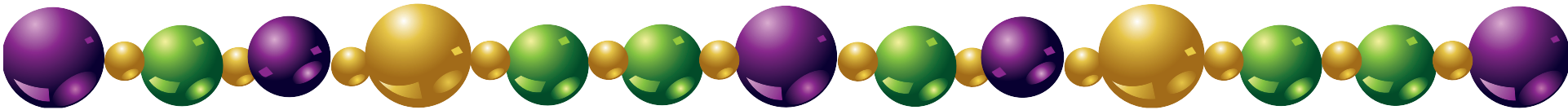


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KREWE OF NEREIDS

KICKED OFF A YEAR OF MERRIMENT BEGINNING WITH THEIR 53RD ANNUAL MARDI GRAS EXTRAVAGANZA – MASQUERADE



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The 2020 Royal Court.

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As is tradition, the Past Court was presented in all their finery for a final bow and tribute to the 52nd year – The French Connection.

The arena came to life with an overture featuring sounds of Broadway. As the tableau unfolded the audience was treated to lighted marquees, comedy/tragedy masks and the spotting of the Krewe Crest. The playful Officers of Nereids entered the stage in Jester costumes to the strains of “Witch Queen of New Orleans”.

The Captain set the stage for the Masquerade in a red, black and white Harlequin costume complete with hat and black

mask. She circled the floor welcoming guests and then turned raising her arms to command the street lights brighten the stage as a crowd of dancers surged forward from the sides of the Coliseum and down through the audience. It was Magical!

And then the entire Krewe took the stage to join the Street Party Masquerade in full costume regalia. Not to be outdone each group developed a dance competition that was simultaneous as the Party expanded and rose to a crescendo.

The Krewe Children entertained the audience with a rendition of “The

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Queen Doris LIII.

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King Nereus LIII.

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Lion Sleeps Tonight”. And then a competition broke out between the groups. There were clowns, huge letters spelling out ‘Nereids’ and dance groups vying for attention. Music filled the Coliseum and the masked audience responded to the excitement as the dancers circled the floor. It was truly a Finale of the first act!

This year the Maids for 2020 visually represented what we consider to be the most important values for success as humans.

JUSTICE

Our First Maid was beguiling in a Blue Grecian design representing good and evil.....to do what is morally right.

The V-neck sleeveless gown featured turquoise silk organza encrusted in Swaroski rhinestones with a fitted rhinestone waist band. The collar featured blue ostrich feathers complete with appliques of the Eyes of Justice on the front. Completing the ensemble was a long turquoise scarf with bronze accents draped over the arms.

PATIENCE

A virtue that is hard to practice– the one Momma always preached about.

This lovely gown featured long sleeves with a fitted waist falling into a mermaid skirt. Attached to the sleeves was sparkling silk rhinestone drapes that graciously flowed as she walked. The pinion silk gown shimmered in fabrics of green, blue and gold encrusted in Swaraski rhinestones and a variety of large colored stones. The collar featured large turquoise ostrich plumes framed by a variety of appliques embellished in rhinestones and colored stones.

LOVE

The greatest gift of all!!

This beautiful pink satin and lace dress featured a hoop skirt and a sweetheart neckline with peach hearts embellished with Swaraski rhinestones. She wore a custom designed headpiece with matching tiara. The collar was magnificent with large peach ostrich plumes and pink heart appliques all framed in gold trim and rhinestones.

CHARITY

This virtue begins at home. It is the selfless giving to those who have need.

Our Maid graced the floor in a round neck, long sleeve fitted waist ensemble of royal blue sequin silk. The flowing skirt was encrusted in sequins. She wore a custom made matching tiara and her ensemble was set off with a collar of royal blue ostrich plumes.

COURAGE

The strength to run toward adversity when everyone else is running away.

Our Courage Maid wore a fitted gown featuring a red and black lace bodice and sleeves with a red and silver



Photo submitted

Pages.

lame’ skirt. The entire outfit was encrusted in Swaraski rhinestones. Her headpiece was a custom made skull cap of matching red and black lace trimmed in lame’ and encrusted with matching stones. A collar of Large red Ostrich plumes framed by silver lame’ appliques completed her ensemble.

COMPASSION

Kindness, caring – a willingness to help others

This fitted lilac Chantilly lace gown was sleeveless with a V-neck and featured a mermaid hem. The bodice and skirt were encrusted with Swaraski rhinestones. Her headpiece was a custom designed matching tiara. The collar completed her outfit with large purple ostrich plumes framed with silver and variegated lavender appliques and additional rhinestones.

THE QUEEN

And now the moment.....the highlight of our evening....we stand and welcome The Queen of Nereids - Queen Doris LIII!

Queen Doris LIII graced the Coliseum floor in darkness and was revealed resplendent in Amythist and Lime Green Thai silk. Her gown was heavily encrusted in Swaraski rhinestones. Her fitted dress featured an over-skirt that was trimmed in silver and spotted with rhinestones. From her shoulders she carried a 12’ mantel of matching colors trimmed with ermine. The mantel was heavily spotted with rhinestones as well as rhinestones appliques outlined with silver and gold.

Around her shoulders she carried a large white ostrich plume collar with geometric designs outlined in silver trim and rhinestones. Her hand-made crown of silver and imported rhinestones completed her ensemble.

KING

His Imperial Royal Majesty, King Nereus LIII, entered the auditorium to rousing cheers as he gave two grand waves with his scepter to the audience. His attire complimented the Queen, and was complete with a large white ostrich plume collar, white boots and tights. After much fanfare he was escorted around the auditorium by the Captain.

Queen Doris LIII rose as King Nereus approached the throne to acknowledge Her Royal Highness and the Royal Maids and Dukes. To be more fully appreciated, such a colorful pageant-



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Compassion.



Photo submitted

Courage.



Photo submitted

Love.

ry must be enjoyed at a closer view. Their triumphant Majesties graciously acknowledged the acclaim of their royal subjects as they circled the coliseum floor accompanied by their Royal Court, and marshaled by the Captain and Officers of Nereids.

Once the Royal Court resumed their places back on stage the lights lifted and the Krewe returned to the floor with a surge of energy.

The orchestra led the Krewe through a rousing rendition of “When The Saints Go Marching In” for a little second line. Then, as the music faded, one group broke out to dance to “Edge of Seventeen” and “Seven Day Fool”. They were quickly replaced by a group dressed in Kimonos and carrying umbrellas to the strains of “Break My Stride”. To the delight of the audience the final dance group entered from all over the col-



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Captain and Officers.



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Charity.



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Justice.



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Patience.



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Queen Doris LIII.

were enhanced in gold and silver trim. The outfit was complete with a train outlined in Ermine and embellished with scrolls of rhinestone appliques.

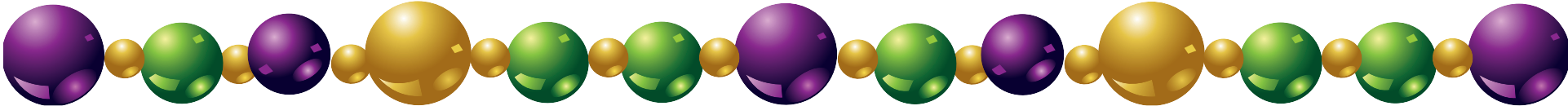
The King’s Pages complimented the King’s attire in design. They carried a cape outlined in Ermine and embellished with scrolls of rhinestone appliques.

Pages attending to

their Royal Majesties during the evening were Misses Eleanor Martinez and Sophia Venetis, Messers Wyatt Butcher and Emery Gaudin.

The Krewe would like to acknowledge Mr. Steven Harper and the Lost City Exotic Orchestra as well as our choreographer, Mr. Kevin Champagne.

The Nereids 53rd Ball has come to a close!



THE KREWE OF OLYMPUS MARDI GRAS BALL



From top left, Board Members Ron Slattery, President Betty Maxwell, Board Members Kathryn Larsen, Jesette Grace, and Queen Kelly Kennedy. From bottom left, Board Members Mary Alice Sierveld, Kurt Braun, and Jeanne Hawkins.

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From left, Aphrodite Janelle Kunellis, Queen Kelly Kennedy, King Tim Kennedy, Apollo John Kunellis.

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The debutantes from left, were Rebecca Patout Walk and Hayden Fairley Matheson.

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From top left, Larry Sullivan, Betty Maxwell, Zeljko Srsen, Bobby Emry. From bottom left, Rick Sierveld, Kurt Braun, John McDonough.

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BY SECRETARY MARY ALICE
SIERVELD

Atlantis is a fictional island in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean. There have been books, movies, and fancy resorts of the same name, but the real Atlantis was the site of yet another fabulous ball chaired by our amazing Krewe President Betty

Maxwell. The ballroom was resplendent with sparkling silver fish swimming on shiny blue panels thanks to the efforts of Candy Motz, backdrops of the underwater city itself, a photo op featuring a pair of seahorses pulling a giant shell, a stage featuring pillars wrapped in blue tulle and white lights and draped with deep blue

skirting with more lights. Sunken treasures were displayed on the ends of the stage.

The tables brought to life the vision of our decorator par excellence Betty Maxwell. Mirrored squares held aqua tulle, white pillars, and white shell vases hold-

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HANCOCK WOMEN’S CENTER WOULD LIKE TO INTRODUCE DR. ELAINE KAO, OB/GYN



Elaine Kao is from Greenville, South Carolina where she grew up in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. She made her way across the Palmetto state, attending college at the University of SC in Columbia and medical school at the Medical University of SC in Charleston. She then moved down to New Orleans for residency in OB/GYN at Tulane University. There, she fell in love with the area and her husband-to-be, Michael. They were married in the French Quarter in 2017 and decided to settle down. Dr. Kao has been working on the Gulf Coast for over 2 years. She is a board certified member of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists and has special interests in contraception, abnormal pap smears, hormonal disorders, menstrual disorders, and minimally invasive surgery. Outside of work, Dr. Kao can be found practicing yoga, traveling, and exploring the outdoors.

Dr. Kao will begin seeing patients March 3, 2020 at 1009 Benigno Lane, Bay St. Louis, MS. Call our office at 228-467-2555 to schedule an appointment.

Come meet Dr. Kao in person on Jan 22 from 5-7 pm at the Baby Expo at Ochsner Medical Center-Hancock at 149 Drinkwater Drive Bay Saint Louis. There will be many vendors, refreshments and raffles.

Opinion

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Taking a Break

Thanks to advances in technology, our phones are practically glued to our hands almost every waking hour.

I’m guilty of this practice as well. If I’m not scrolling through Instagram, Facebook, or Reddit, I feel like I’m missing out on something.

I lived the first half of my life without the constant use of the Internet and, quite honestly, I think I was less stressed.

In college, I used AOL messenger to stay connected with friends and family from home. I also ventured into chat rooms, which were full of an array of odd characters, to say the least.

When I upgraded to a smart phone, I was able to carry the Internet and immediate access to information on my person.

Having that type of access can be a useful asset. However, it does nothing for my shopping addiction, since Instagram shows me all the pretty things I “need.”

It does nothing for my diet, because I’m also tempted by the daily videos and pictures of fresh-baked goods and coffee from local eateries.

The Internet is a great marketing tool and source of information, when you can find a reputable and trustworthy source. Just because someone typed it in a Facebook post does not necessarily make it a fact.

Social media also gave everyone more of a voice, which can be a good thing, but more often than not, I see people attacking each other, whether they be on the “good” or “bad” side of an argument.

I have been known to sit and read through the comment thread of a viral story post for hours. It hurts my head and heart to witness the way people treat each other these days. There is name calling, bullying, threatening, and making fun of people. It’s not a good look for anybody and I do not take anyone’s argument seriously when they resort to these types of tactics.

The older I get, the more I realize that high school really did prepare for me the real world. I feel like we never left those days when people are grouped into certain categories, bullied because of their life choices, and made fun of for things beyond their control.

I used to respect adults and my elders more than I do now. Not many earn mine anymore.

In the past few months, I’ve realized the importance of “unplugging,” meaning putting down the phone and getting off the Internet for a few hours and especially when out with family and friends.

According to an article from [bustle.com](#), there

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Staff Column
By Cassandra Favre

Wicker Honors Mississippian Hiram Rhodes Revels

The First African American to Serve in Congress

This month I am introducing a resolution to recognize a groundbreaking U.S. senator from Mississippi. Hiram Rhodes Revels was the first African American to serve in Congress in United States history. He was chosen by the state legislature in 1870, before the 17th Amendment to the Constitution made for the direct election of senators. He took his oath of office in the United States Capitol on February 25, 1870 – 150 years ago this month. Born in a country divided by slavery, he broke the Senate color barrier just five years after the close of the Civil War.

REVELS AND HIS FELLOW CITIZENS

When Senator-elect Revels walked into the Senate chamber for the first time, he was greeted by applause from the galleries. It was a historic moment that few present expected to come within their lifetimes.

This warm welcome, however, was far from universal. Several senators blocked his credentials solely because



From the Senate
By Sen. Roger Wicker

of his race. It took two days of debate to settle the issue before he was seated – by a vote of 48 to 8. In perhaps a bit of over-optimism, Senator Charles Sumner said of Revels’s swearing-in, “Liberty and equality were the two express promises of our fathers. Both are now assured.”

One could expect a man treated so poorly by some colleagues to react with anger, especially after living through the era of slavery. But Revels found much to be positive about. Perhaps it was his education in a Quaker seminary, or his time as an ordained minister for African Methodist Episcopal con-

gregations across this country, but he came to his new role with the desire to pursue racial reconciliation.

In his maiden speech on the Senate floor, Revels stressed that black residents and white residents of Mississippi were “fellow citizens” – a phrase that could not have been accurately used before the 14th Amendment to the Constitution brought equal citizenship to African Americans just two years earlier.

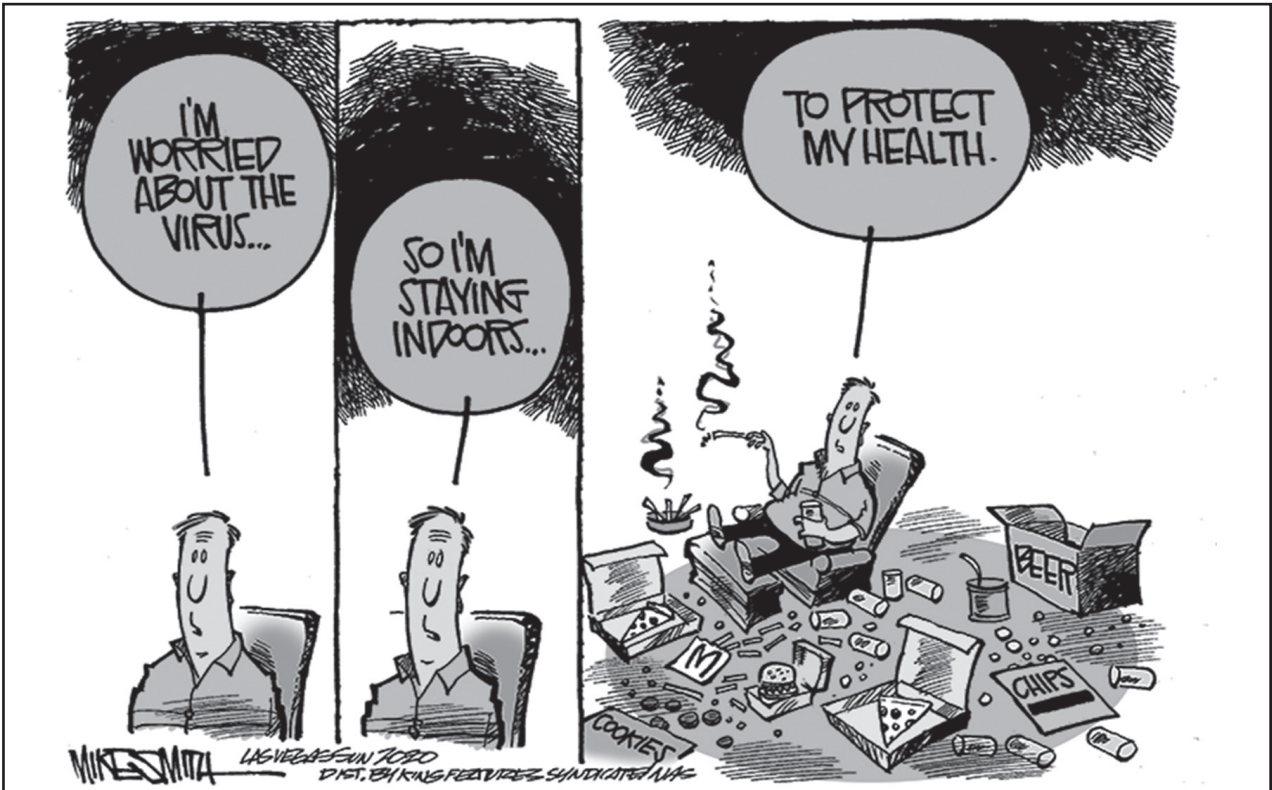
In the same speech, he also tried to alleviate the concerns of many Southern whites who feared that the newly enfranchised African Americans would use their new political power for revenge. Quoting Shakespeare, Revels said, “It is excellent to have a giant’s strength; but it is tyrannous to use it like a giant.” He chose instead to work on behalf of all Americans and to guard the “rights which are theirs by God’s universal law,” echoing the Declaration of Independence.

THE LEGACY OF SENATOR REVELS

Revels would continue to work for national healing during his brief one-year term in the Senate and afterward. He would go on to become the first president of Alcorn Agricultural & Mechanical College in Lorman, Mississippi, today’s Alcorn State University – the first historically black land grant college in our nation.

He remained guided by his faith until the end, serving as the district superintendent of his church and a professor of theology at Shaw University, now known as Rust College. He died in 1901 and is buried in Holly Springs, where his tombstone reads, “Called home at the close of 30 years’ work in the ministry.”

At a pivotal moment in our history, Hiram Rhodes Revels was the embodiment of the ideal that all men are created equal. His momentous selection for membership in the U.S. Senate moved us toward the “more perfect union” envisioned by our founders.



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Whether you are a photographer, a hunter or just like viewing wildlife on a sunny afternoon, anyone who has spent time overlooking a food plot will have a deep appreciation for wildlife plantings.

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To aid landowners who would like to plant wildlife food plots, Wildlife Mississippi is continuing its popular Wildlife Habitat Seed Program. Through this program, Wildlife Mississippi will make seed



Conservation Corner
By James Cummins

available at a minimal cost.

The Wildlife Habitat Seed Program is designed to provide an incentive for landowners to establish and maintain food plots that will yield a variety of benefits to the landowner as well as to the species of wildlife he or she is managing.

Corn, soybean, and grain sorghum will be available through Wildlife Mississippi’s Spring

2020 Wildlife Habitat Seed Program. All seed is treated and has good germination rates. Wildlife Mississippi will also be taking pre-orders for winter wheat, which will be distributed in the month of September.

If planted properly, the various types of seed will be utilized by a variety of species of wildlife. White-tailed deer, turkeys, bobwhite quail, mourning doves, waterfowl, and many species of songbirds will benefit from the plantings of the seed that is offered.

The guidelines regarding this program are simple and easy to follow. Anyone interested in obtaining seed should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Wildlife Mississippi with a request for an order form and planting recommendations for the seed. Wildlife Mississippi will be taking orders until March 13, 2020.

This will allow Wildlife Mississippi to place the orders in a timely manner to ensure that they will be filled in time for the planting season.

Shipping and handling charges incurred by Wildlife Mississippi are included in the price of the seed. The costs will be \$25.00 per 50 lb. bag of glyphosate resistant corn, \$12.00 per 50 lb. bag of sorghum, \$14.00 per 50 lb. bag of glyphosate resistant soybeans, and \$9.00 per 50 lb. bag of winter wheat. Pick up locations will be Amory, Flowood, Greenville, and Hattiesburg.

For an order form and planting recommendations for this beneficial program, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Wildlife Mississippi, PO Box 10, Stoneville, MS 38776. If you wish to place your order online, please visit our website at [www.wildlifemiss.org](#).

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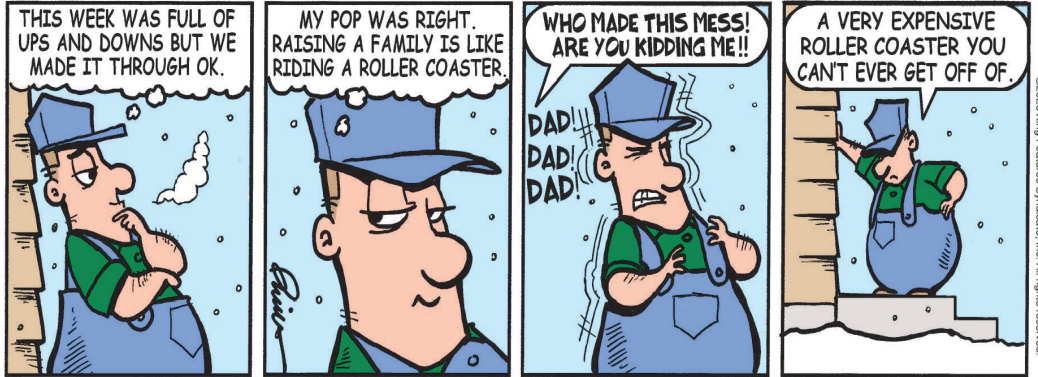
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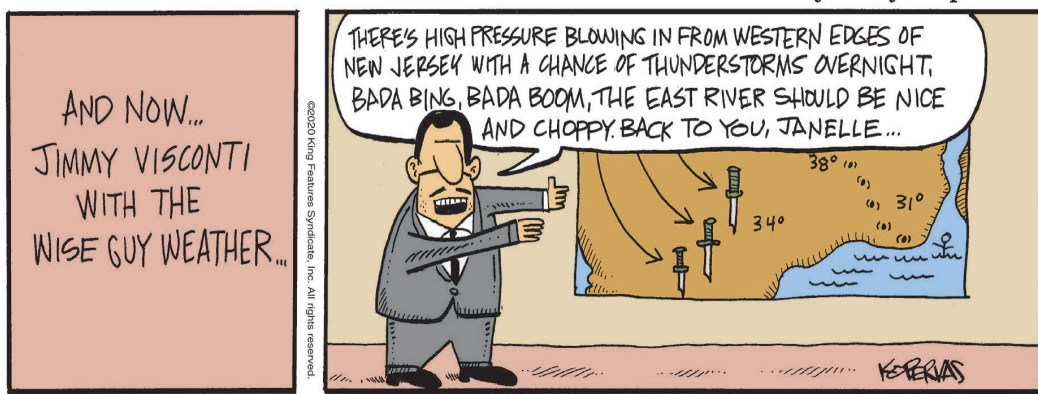
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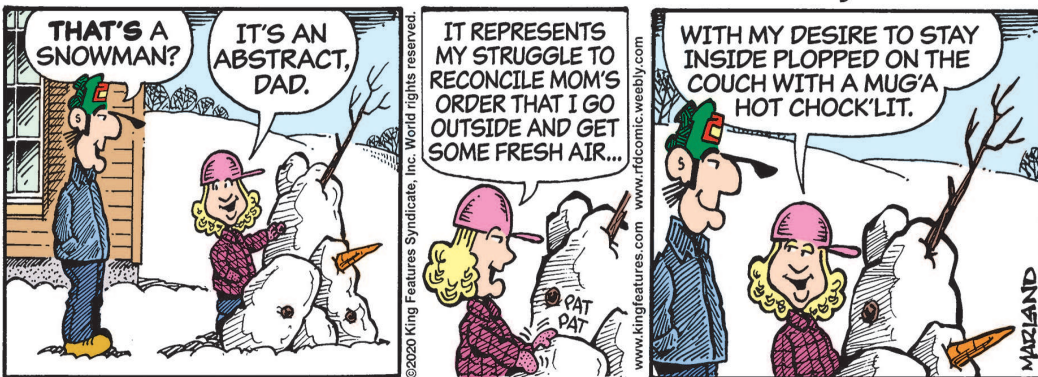
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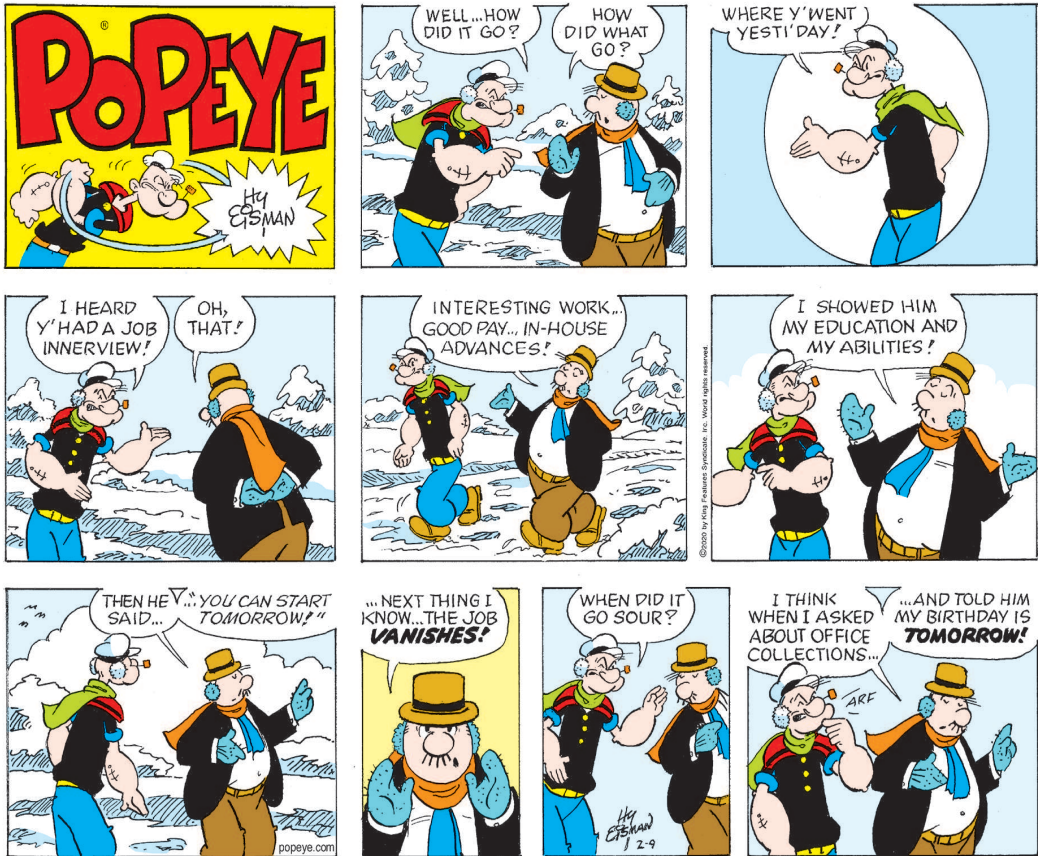
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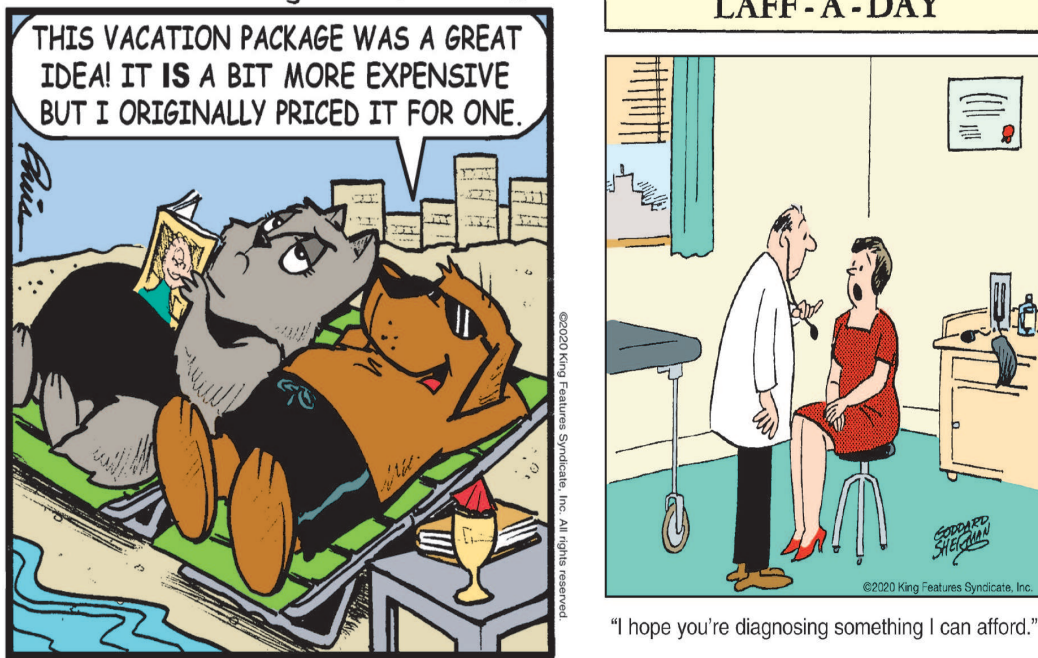
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Control
GAMENA

Groan
KECAR

Path
SAILE

Quilt
ANTRAT

TODAY'S WORD

"If that's my wife, then getting new glasses is a _____."

by Dave T. Phipps

by Gary Kopervas

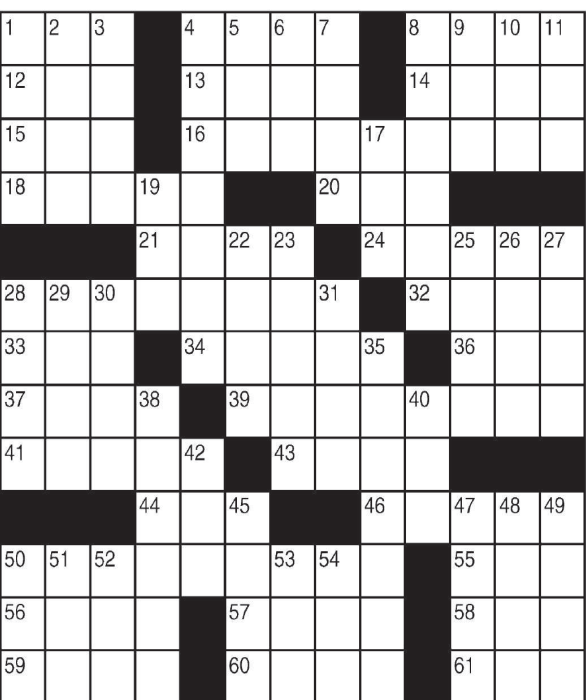
by Mike Marland

by Jeff Pickering

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Satchel
- 4 Nowhere to be seen
- 8 Visored military cap
- 12 — out a living
- 13 State
- 14 Object of worship
- 15 Have a bug
- 16 Dilute
- 18 Up to
- 20 Finish
- 21 Second letter
- 24 Sponsorship
- 28 Negative aspect
- 32 Took the bus
- 33 Fire residue
- 34 Oodles
- 36 Wager
- 37 Amorphous lump
- 39 Onion rings, e.g.
- 41 Takes to the skies
- 43 Carry on
- 44 "That feels so good!"
- 46 Black board?
- 50 Exemplar of dullness
- 55 Cattle call
- 56 Leading man
- 57 Volcanic flow
- 58 Request
- 59 Floor cleaners
- 60 Gasoline, e.g.



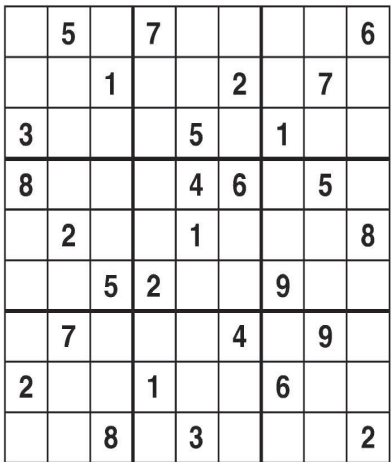
DOWN

- 1 Suitor
- 2 Related
- 3 Moolah
- 4 Anarchic
- 5 Eggs
- 6 Prepared
- 7 Genealogy
- 8 Actress
- 9 "Green" prefix
- 10 "Barn!"
- 11 Hostel
- 17 Genetic stuff
- 19 — Saud
- 22 Twitches
- 23 Fire-fighting legend
- 25 Asian desert
- 26 Mid-month date
- 27 Green or Rogen
- 28 Slight touches
- 29 Norway's capital
- 30 "Halt!"
- 31 Icelandic poetry
- 35 More than just a few
- 38 Lullaby composer
- 40 Society newbie
- 42 Tool with teeth
- 45 50 percent
- 47 Muscat's land
- 48 Small winning margin
- 49 Oxen's harness
- 50 Water barrier
- 51 Berlin's "What'll —?"
- 52 Potential syrup
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- 54 56-Across' partner

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. SCIENCE: What is dendrochronology?
2. FOOD & DRINK: What are the ingredients in a Tom Collins drink?
3. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Who is considered to be the father of nuclear Navy submarines?
4. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Anne of Green Gables"?
5. AD SLOGANS: Which product is advertised as "the quicker picker-upper"?
6. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who was the shortest president in U.S. history?
7. HISTORY: Who was the oldest signer of the U.S. Declaration of Independence?
8. GEOGRAPHY: Which country lies on the eastern border of Ukraine?
9. MOVIES: Which 1980s movie featured the Top Ten hit song "Danger Zone" (Kenny Loggins)?
10. MEDICAL: Who is the drug morphine named for?

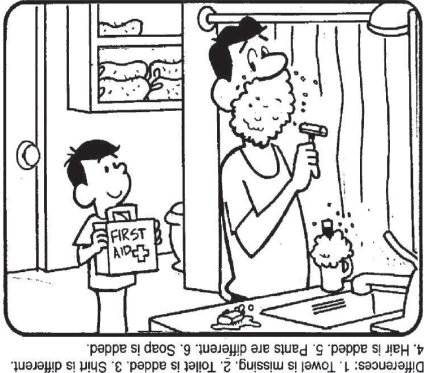
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Towel is missing. 2. Toilet is added. 3. Shirt is different. 4. Hair is added. 5. Pants are different. 6. Soap is added. 7. Soap is added. 8. Soap is added. 9. Soap is added.

CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: E equals B

DW X EXLFAUXQQ RQXHAO FARU
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GICQN HAQQ "ZIXONAO DV UZA
GICOU!"

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Today's Word

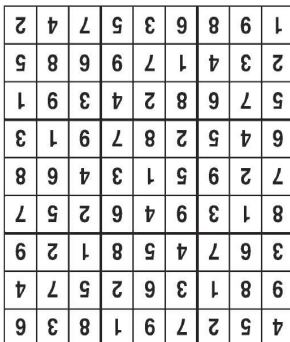
3. Aisle; 4. Tartan

1. Manage; 2. Creak;

solution

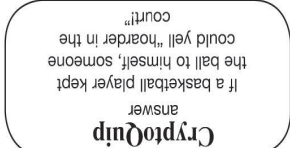
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King Crossword



Answer

Weekly SUDOKU



answer

If a basketball player kept the ball to himself, someone could yell "hoarder in the court!"

Arrest Record

The following is a list of arrests logged at the Hancock County Justice Facility from the past week. Appearance on the jail log is not indicative of guilt, merely a record that an arrest has been made.

ECHO STAFF REPORT

Lori A. Crawford, 38, simple domestic violence, simple assault
Dominick J. Russo, 23, felony possession of controlled substance, probation violation
Lauren E. Carpenter, 28, felony possession of controlled substance
Douglas W. Bourgeois Sr., 48, simple domestic violence, simple assault, probation violation
Kraigon V. Gillihan, 25, felony possession of controlled substance
Valerie D. Black, 36, felony possession of controlled substance x 4, contempt of court failure to appear x 4
Chandler W. Garcia, 18, contempt of court failure to appear
Trevor A. Boswell, 23, aggravated domestic violence
Joseph T. McFadden, 38, felony possession of controlled substance, contempt of court failure to appear x 3
Mary L. Summers, 29, contempt of court failure to appear
Shawn R. Sept, 40, eluding law officer, receiving stolen property, hold for other agency
Richard R. Morden, 57, simple domestic violence simple assault
Cory S. Rogers, 27, possession of paraphernalia, contempt of court failure to appear
Michelle L. Rogers, 24, possession of paraphernalia
Thelma J. Hoffman, 62, DUI: first offense, careless driving, seat belt violation, driving while license or driving privilege cancelled
Teresa O. Anthony, 46, petit larceny
Adam C. Miller, 33, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Craig R. Cuevas, 48,

probation violation
Kristene K. Kapp, 18, no insurance, no drivers license, seat belt violation x 2
Thomas W. Kapp, 29, contempt failure to appear x 2
John R. McCord, 63, possession of paraphernalia
Lee W. Harris, 29, probation violation
August N. Rauxet, 45, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Arna R. Selvage, Jr., 37, controlled substance trafficking, contempt of court failure to appear
Bennie Selvage, Sr., 59, hold for other agency
Jamaal S. Terry, 41, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Jessica K. Caccioppo, 30, burglary, seat belt violation
Hiram A. Blackwell, 48, malicious mischief, simple assault, contempt of court for failure to make restitution, possession of paraphernalia
Michael L. Dietrich, 54, contempt of court failure to appear
Shana D. Mohler, 35, contempt of court failure to appear, possession of paraphernalia
Zachary T. Kingston, 31, malicious mischief, trespass
Tracey K. Necaise, 36, DUI: other substance
Jody J. Lee, 57, DUI: first offense
Nicholas M. Smith, 32, DUI: first offense, contempt of court failure to appear
Christopher T. Sims, 25, DUI: other substance
Brandon C. Dawson, 21, contempt failure to appear
William J. Jones, 62, hold for other agency
Rosellier M. Ladner, 39, contempt of court failure to appear
Nicole N. Harvey, 33, shoplifting
Alex J. Pearson, 69, back for court/court order, contempt of court violation of protective order or court approved consent agreement
Gary M. Becker, Jr., 38, possession of paraphernalia
Tamar R. Ankeshein, 32, possession of paraphernalia

Chelsea L. Ellinger, 29, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle, felony possession of controlled substance x 2
Scott D. Ditmore, 48, drunkenness/profanity in public place, indecent exposure
Willie H. Whavers, 37, simple domestic violence simple assault, probation violation
Rhakeea S. Lyons, 31, false identifying information
Gordon P. Gros, 33, touching child for lustful purposes, gratification, molesting
Jason R. Bilbo, 44, contempt of court failure to appear
Xavier D. Lincoln, 24, contempt failure to appear x 2
Eric A. McCurdy, 21, petit larceny, receiving stolen property, contempt failure to appear
Ira Stone, 40, contempt failure to appear
Kipp D. Jones, 40, petit larceny
Tandra L. Boudreaux, 29, contempt failure to appear x 3
Robert M. Porter, 23, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle, contempt failure to appear
Edison M. Watson, 50, contempt failure to appear
Cheryl A. Reith, 55, shoplifting, possession of paraphernalia
Timothy B. Johnson, 37, contempt failure to appear
William F. Vincent, 60, trespassing
Steven C. Herring, Jr., 23, simple domestic violence simple assault
Kenneth B. Cassard, 52, contempt of court failure to appear (bench warrant) x 2
Kenny C. Vinson, 65, violating order of court, contempt, punishment
Travis B. Hurlbutt, 36, felony possession of controlled substance, possession of paraphernalia, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle, no insurance, no drivers license
Akeem R. McPherson, 24, no drivers license, no insurance, no tag, improper equipment, careless driving, possession of marijuana (1-30

grams) while operating a motor vehicle
Lawrence L. McDonald, 32, (no charge listed)
Sylvia M. McGrew, 37, contempt of court failure to appear
Jacob J. Aucoin, 47, contempt of court failure to appear, possession of paraphernalia, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Lila J. Jordan, 59, contempt of court failure to appear (bench warrant), possession of paraphernalia, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Gavin C. Avery, 50, DUI: first offense
Michael A. Perkins, 52, trespassing
Christopher M. Reimann, 37, no insurance, driving while license or driving privilege cancelled, no tag, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Duwayne C. Mitchell, 34, felony possession of controlled substance, contempt failure to appear
Brandon T. Lloyd, 22, disorderly conduct, resisting/obstructing arrest, aggravated assault on a police officer
Emelie M. Penton, 31, possession of paraphernalia, contempt failure to appear
Anthony C. Carlton, 49, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Donald R. Luxich, 51, trespassing, contempt of court failure to appear, contempt of court failure to comply
Beverly S. Husser, 60, DUI: first offense
Adam C. Hampton, 29, disorderly conduct interference with business, customers, invitees; disorderly conduct failure to comply w/command of law enforcement; resisting/obstructing arrest
Reid A. Leblanc, 27, felony possession of controlled substance
Heather E. Gambill, 32, contempt of court failure to appear
Benny R. Dardar, Jr., 34, DUI: other substance
Vernon W. Dahl, 45, contempt of court failure to appear, no drivers license, no insurance
Logan M. Brand, 18, driving with suspended or revoked license
Kipp D. Jones, 40, contempt of court failure

to appear
Jerome B. Stevens, 32, disorderly conduct, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Kirk J. Caro, 26, disorderly conduct
Gregory M. Heuer, 59, DUI: first offense
Henry R. Schmidt, 52, possession of paraphernalia
Cassie A. Clement, 35, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance, contempt failure to appear
Scott A. Bordelon, 44, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Randall A. Warner, 69, DUI: first offense
Jacob K. Hubler, 25, probation violation, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Lori F. Markey, 52, DUI: first offense
Arnoldo Molina, 43, hold PTS inmate

Ronald Wright, 52, hold PTS inmate
Keylus M. Daniels, 27, hold PTS inmate
Juan J. Tapia, 21, hold PTS inmate
Deondre Earl, (no age listed), hold PTS inmate
Malissa Huntoon, 43, hold PTS inmate
Danielle K. Taylor, 22, hold PTS inmate
Jeremy R. Shaw, 37, felony possession of controlled substance, controlled substance to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, dispense
Boyd J. Adams, 47, false pretenses procure thing of value fraudulent representation x 9
Bobby C. Saucier, 33, felony possession of controlled substance, probation violation, trespassing, simple assault

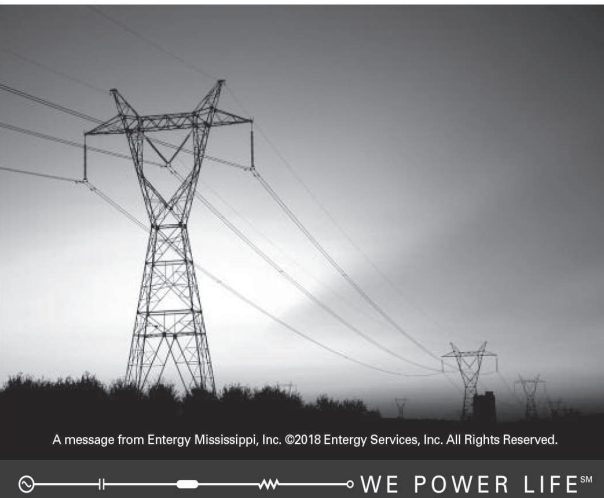
PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS
As of March 16, 2020 the City of Bay St. Louis will make the following sign changes to the intersections of:
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Hancock man pleads guilty in child molestation case

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

A Diamondhead man last week pleaded guilty to molesting a 14-year-old girl in 2017.

Gordon Phillip Gros, 33, on Thursday entered



Gordon Gros

in Washington, D.C., and later extradited back to

Hancock County. Hancock County Sheriff's Office Chief Investigator Glen Grannan said at the time that Gros was a friend of the girl's family and had allegedly molested her at the family's home in Diamondhead. Gros was remanded

to the Hancock County Adult Detention Center on Thursday while Circuit Judge Christopher Schmidt ponders sentencing recommendations.

CASA of Hancock County receives national grant to improve ability to support Hancock County's vulnerable youth

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CASA of Hancock County has been awarded an \$11,560 professional development grant from the National Court Appointed Special Advocate/Guardian ad Litem (CASA/GAL) Association for Children. CASA of Hancock County recruits, trains and supports volunteers who advocate for the best interests of children who have experienced abuse or neglect.

The grant will pay for CASA of Hancock County's director to obtain a certificate in Children's Law and Policy from Loyola University in Chicago. This program has been customized for members of the CASA/GAL nationwide network. "Through my participation in this professional development course I hope to gain a deeper understanding

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Hancock County Tax Assessor / Collector
Homestead Exemption Applications Accepted
Homestead exemption applications will be accepted from **January 2, 2020 through April 1, 2020**, office located at 854 Highway 90 Suite C., Applications must be filed in the Bay St. Louis office of Hancock County Tax Assessor between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
You must be living in your home on or before **January 1, 2020** to qualify for homestead exemption. The property must be your primary residence in order to qualify.
The following information is needed to file your application.
A) Warranty deed
B) Cost of property
C) Down payment amount
D) License plate numbers for vehicles registered in Hancock County.
(All vehicles owned must be registered in Hancock County.)
E) If you are age 65 or older, proof of age is required
F) If you are receiving 100% disability benefits, proof of your disability is required
G) Is any part of the property rented
You must re-file your homestead exemption application if
A) You became over 65 on or before January 1, 2020
B) You became 100% disabled service Connected veteran on or before January 1, 2020
C) You acquired a new residence
D) You acquired additional property that adjoins your homestead
E) Your marital status changed (divorced, widowed, separated, etc.)
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Obituaries

JAMES (JIM) J. MARTIN
CORT PHILLIPSS
CAROLYN FAYE SEAL
JOSEPH SPECKER III

JAMES (JIM) J. MARTIN

James (Jim) J. Martin, age 83, of Picayune, MS passed away October 6, 2019 in Gulfport, MS. He was born in Ensley, AL. As a young child, he and his mother moved to Cleveland, OH. During his youth, his mother became so ill that he had to be put into foster care during her lengthy recovery. He had to choose between either living in the city of Cleveland or on a dairy farm in rural Ohio. He chose the dairy farm. There were other boys in foster care on this farm that served as free labor for the foster family. In addition, the foster parents were paid by the state for the foster children’s care. After several years of hard labor and no pay, at age 16, Jim ran away. He supported himself by doing odd jobs and living in barns or staying with friends until he was 18. Working on dairy farms taught him many skills, as well as, the value of hard work and thriftiness. These ethics served him well the rest of his life.

At the age of 19, Jim married his first wife. He later began working at Ford Motor Co. in Lorraine, OH. He then moved his growing family to California where he started his career in the aerospace industry. This led to him moving to the Gulf Coast to



work as an inspector for North American Rockwell at the newly opened Mississippi Test Facility, now Stennis Space Center. From there, he worked as a Quality Control Supervisor for Martin Marietta on the Space Shuttle’s External Fuel Tanks at the Michoud Assembly Facility in New Orleans East. He worked there until he retired. While working full time, he still managed to pursue ventures in real estate. He bought, developed, and sold properties to include Martin’s Lake & Campground in Ocean Springs, MS; Martin’s Mobile Home Park in Pearlinton, MS and a small apartment complex in Picayune, MS.

When he was very young, he spent summers with his great-aunt on the Gulf Coast. The memories of good times spent on the beaches, swimming and fishing, formed a longing in him to return. As many others who have grown up here, or are residents that choose to stay, he had to take the good with the bad. Just one week after buying his home on

the beach in Waveland, it was washed away by Hurricane Betsy. In 1969, he was fortunate to miss the brunt of Hurricane Camille as he was living in Slidell, LA at the time. In 1985, he suffered major losses to his home and business in Ocean Springs with Hurricane Elena. He later moved to Bay St Louis where his home on the bayou was destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. Then, during another hurricane, his beloved boat, “Beautiful Pride”, sustained damages and capsized. Being an avid fisherman, losing his boat was a crushing blow. Although, as so many others who are determined to make the MS Gulf Coast their home, he picked himself up and started all over, again. This time, he moved just a little bit farther inland, between Picayune and Kiln.

Jim was predeceased by his mother, Dorothea Stein Davis Martin, and his father, Eugene Jiles Davis. He is survived by his children, Dottie Sundberg, Ashland, OH; Darla Birdsall, Purcellville, VA; Valerie Lepine, Picayune, MS; Melody Martin, Mendenhall, MS; James J Martin Jr, Slidell, LA; 17 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren, and 2 former wives, Bea, nee, Kirkpatrick and Dawn, nee, Folsom. He was blessed to have had good friends to the end.

CORT PHILLIPS

Cort Phillips, 64, of Waveland, MS passed away Sunday, February 16, 2020, in Gulfport, MS. Cort was a native of Bay St. Louis, MS. He was an employee of Lockheed Martin for 33 years and worked on the external fuel tanks used in the Space Shuttle program. He was preceded in death by his father, Walter James Phillips; sister, Carolyn Phillips Stechmann and brother Carey Phillips. He is survived by his wonderful and loving wife, Vicki Phillips; mother, Inger Phillips; three brothers, Lars Phillips, Terry Phillips (Lizz) and Michael Phillips; sister, Lisbet Phillips and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. In lieu of flowers the family prefers donations to St. Joseph

Hospice: 1 2 4 0 Broad Avenue, Gulfport, MS 39501 or Hancock County Animal Shelter: 7175 Texas Flat Road, Kiln, MS 39556. Visitation will be held Saturday, February 22, 2020, at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home from 9:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. with a memorial service at 11:00 a.m. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.



CAROLYN FAYE SEAL

Carolyn Faye Seal, age 74, was called home by God on February 11, 2020. She was born in Hancock County and was a lifelong resident of the Kiln, Mississippi. She was preceded in death by her parents, Artis Ladner and Pearlina Cuevas Ladner; and her sisters, Uneeda Conn and Greta Dew. She is survived by husband of 55 years, Robert “Bobby” Seal; two daughters, Rhonda Golding (Keene), Robin Gex (Joseph II); four grandchildren, Joseph “Manning” Gex III, Lane Gex, Ladd Gex, Linen Golding, all of Standard Community; one sister, Nettie Morris of Poplarville; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was of Catholic faith and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in

Dedaux. Visitation for family and friends was held on Thursday, February 13, 2020 from 6:00 – 9:00 pm at RIE-MANN FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 9113 Kiln DeLisle Rd. Pass Christian. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Friday, February 14, 2020 at 11:00 AM with visitation one hour prior at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Dedaux. Interment was at Standard Sandhill Cemetery. An online obituary may be viewed, and memories and photos shared at riemannfamily.com



JOSEPH SPECKER III

Joseph Specker III, 72 years old, passed away on February 15, 2020 in Clinton, MS. The visitation will be from 3:00 to 4:00 on the 22nd, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on 14928 Big Ridge Rd, Biloxi MS. Funeral services will be held directly following the Visitation starting at 4:00. Joe is survived by his wife Helen, and his daughter Heidi Lorraine Baldree and spouse James Baldree, his grandchildren Grace, Jacob, James, Faith, and Hope Baldree, and his son Joseph Specker IV and spouse Amy Lynn Specker, and grandchildren Jayson, Kelsey, and Kaitlynn Specker, and his sisters Carol Overbaugh and Beverly Arndt. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Daniel Specker.

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are six suggested signs that one may need a break from social media: You’re stressed out all the time; you feel separation anxiety when not online; you can’t put down your phone while with friends; it’s all you can think about; you are constantly comparing yourself to others; and you have a fear of missing out. I think that social media can be a wonderful tool to connect us with people around the world. I chat with people from Sweden, England, and many other places throughout the U.S. I cheer when my family and friends share their triumphs online and I grieve for them

when something terrible happens. But, I think it’s important to take a step back and rejoin the real world for a while. Take that trip to a museum you’ve always wanted to visit, read a book or two, spend the day with your family, or do whatever might make you happy. The Internet can be a wonderful place, but more often than not, for me, it’s become a place where toxicity and hatefulness come to breed. So I unplug for a while. Try it. I don’t think you will be disappointed. Cassandra is a staff writer for the Sea Coast Echo and can be reached at cassandra@seacoast-echo.com.

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A Taste of Southern Comfort Food

BY LINDA BIGLER
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Now that winter is almost over in the south, all nine days of it, it is time to warm our hearts with some recipes that make us nostalgic for some down-home southern cooking.

This first recipe can be prepared with an electric mixer or in a food processor.

BEER CHEESE

1-pound sharp cheddar cheese, finely grated
6 cloves garlic, crushed
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
1 teaspoon Tabasco sauce
1 cup beer
One half cup chopped, toasted pecans

Place the cheese in a mixing bowl; add the garlic, Worcestershire sauce, and Tabasco. Beat on medium speed until combined. With the mixer running, slowly pour in the beer until the mixture is smooth. Tightly pack the cheese mixture into a bowl. Top

with the chopped pecans. Tightly cover and chill for at least 24 hours. Remove from refrigerator about 30 minutes before serving. Serve with crackers.

Makes about 2 cups

The next recipe calls for red snapper, but codfish, mahi-mahi, or other mild fish fillets can be used.

BAKED RED SNAPPER FILLETS

4 red snapper fillets (8 to 10 ounces each)
1 teaspoon Creole seasoning

One half teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Juice of 2 lemons, strained

2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
3 cloves garlic, crushed

2 ripe, medium tomatoes, cored and sliced about one fourth inch thick

2 tablespoons, chopped fresh flat leaf parsley

Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Pat the fillets dry and season both sides with Creole seasoning

and black pepper. Combine the lemon juice, olive oil, and garlic in a shallow baking dish. Add the fillets to the dish and turn once or twice to evenly moisten with the lemon juice mixture. Place the sliced tomatoes over the fillets. Bake for 10 to 15 minutes or until the fillets flake with a fork. Sprinkle with the parsley and serve immediately.

Serves 4

MINTED CARROTS

1-pound carrots, washed, scraped and cut into one fourth inch diagonal slices

1 cup water

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon sugar

4 tablespoons butter

One half teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

2 tablespoons chiffonade of fresh mint leaves

Place the carrots in a saucepan; add the water, salt, and sugar. Bring to a boil over high heat, reduce to a simmer and tightly cover the pan. Cook for 15 minutes. Check for doneness. Carrots should be ten-

der, but not mushy. Stir in the butter and pepper. Remove from heat sprinkle in the mint and eat for seasoning, serve at once.

Serves 4

Be sure to taste the greens before adding any salt because the salt pork may be salty enough to season the greens.

GREENS

3 pounds fresh young greens (turnip, collard, mustard, or a combination)

2 pounds salt pork with rind removed and cut into one-inch squares

2 cups water

2 large onions, chopped

1 fresh jalapeno pepper, chopped

1 tablespoon sugar

Salt and pepper to taste

Strip the greens from the stems. Wash the greens well in cold water until all traces of grit and dirt are gone.

Place the salt pork in a large, heavy skillet and fry over medium heat until crisp. Remove the salt pork with a slotted spoon

and set aside. Add the onion and jalapeno pepper to the rendered fat and cook until the onions are soft, about 5 minutes. Pour the water in the skillet and scrape up any browned bits from the bottom of the pan.

Remove the pan from the heat and set aside.

Place the greens in a 5 to 6-quart Dutch oven set over high heat. Cover and cook for about 5 minutes or until wilted. Add the ingredients from the skillet, the fried salt pork, and the sugar to the greens. Stir until combined. Cover and cook over medium heat for about 45 minutes or until greens are tender. Taste for seasoning. Drain off the liquid and reserve it for “pot likker” in which your cornbread can be dunked.

Serves 6

What good is all that pot likker if you have no cornbread for dunking?

CORNBREAD

1 and one fourth cups white cornmeal

Three fourth cup all-purpose flour

1 tablespoon baking

powder

One fourth teaspoon baking soda

One half teaspoon salt

2 large eggs

1 cup buttermilk or sour milk

One fourth cup honey

2 tablespoons butter, melted

Preheat the oven to 425 degrees. Grease a 9-inch square baking pan, set aside. In a medium bowl, combine the cornmeal, flour, baking powder, baking soda, and salt. In a separate bowl beat together the eggs, milk, honey, and melted butter. Add the liquid ingredients to the dry ingredients. Stir until just combined. Do not overbeat. Pour the batter into the prepared pan and bake for about 20 minutes or until golden brown. Serve immediately

Makes 9 servings

Enjoy some southern favorites and have a fantastic week.

Linda is a contributing writer for the Sea Coast Echo and can be reached at lbigler67@gmail.com.

The Community CALENDAR



FEBRUARY 20

• The Hancock County Historical Society will host its monthly luncheon on Thursday, Feb. 20, at noon at the Kate Lobrano House. The speaker will be LiLi Stahler Murphy, who will speak on the Smithsonian Exhibit which is coming to the Ground Zero Museum in Waveland. Reservations are required, and may be made by calling 467-4090. Please call by noon on Wednesday, Feb. 19 to make your reservation in order to help plan seating, which is limited to 54 people, and to apprise the society of the number of lunches to order. Lunch will be served at noon and is \$14 for members, \$15 for non-members, payable at the door. It is catered by Almost Home Catering, Michelle Nichols, chef. The lunch menu is meatloaf in brown gravy, cheddar cheese grits casserole, broccoli salad, sticky toffee date cake and yeast rolls.



FEBRUARY 21

• The Mississippi 4-H Volunteer Leaders' Association invite you to be a part of this year's Annual Conference on February 21st & 22nd 2020. This is a great opportunity to learn more about becoming a 4-H volunteer in your very own Hancock County! The Annual Conference will consist of leadership development, educational workshops, and networking opportunities. If you are interested in becoming a 4-H volunteer and/or attending this year's Mississippi 4-H

Volunteer Leaders' Association Annual Conference, please contact your County Extension Agent, Jennifer O'Banner at 228-467-5456 or jo115@msstate.edu. We are currently looking for adults who are interested in serving as leaders and mentors in the lives of our Hancock County 4-H members.

FEBRUARY 25

• WW — formerly known as Weight Watchers — will meet Tuesdays at the Hancock County Resource Center, located at 454 Hwy. 90, Waveland, led by Wellness Coach Anne Hale and team. Weigh-in (wellness check-in) at 5 p.m. and the Workshop begins at 5:30 p.m. Invite a friend.

• AARP will be at the Waveland and Kiln libraries through April. Receive one-on one help filing your taxes this tax season. This is a first-come first-serve event and you will need to bring your tax information, social security card for dependents, and Driver's License. Help will be available at the Waveland Library every Tuesday and Saturday from 9 a.m. –1 p.m. and will run until April 14. This will exclude February 25 and March 14. For more information on these dates please contact the Waveland Library at (228)467-9240. Help will be available at the Kiln Library every Thursday from 9 a.m. –1 p.m. and will run until April 6. For more information on these dates please contact the Kiln Library at (228) 255-1724.

FEBRUARY 28

• St. Rose de Lima's famous annual Fish Fry is back for Lent 2020 beginning on Feb. 28, every Friday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Holy Spirit Center, located at 301 S.

Necaise Ave. in Bay St. Louis. Featuring Mississippi farm-raised catfish, potato salad, green beans, bread, and cake. \$10 donation per plate. Come join us. Dine in or carry out. Delivery available. To place your order call the Parish Center at 228-467-9700.



FEBRUARY 29

• Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary 3253 will host its Car Show at 208 Third St. in Bay St. Louis. 8th annual open car show/fundraiser benefits our veterans programs. Registration is from 8 a.m. to noon the day of the show. Registration fee is \$25. Dash plaques for first 50 vehicles registered. Awards: Top 20 cars, top five trucks, best of show, and six special awards. Participants voting. Awards at 1:30 p.m. Food, prizes, 50/50 raffle, and live auction. For more information, contact Cindy at 228-469-0579 or Bobby at 228-493-2033.

• The Waveland Helping Hands Community Organization is hosting a Black History Program from 10 to 11 a.m. at the MLK Park Community Center on Herlihy Street in Waveland.



MARCH 6

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MARCH 19

• St. Clare Catholic Church, 236 S. Beach Blvd. in Waveland, will host its annual St. Joseph's Day Altar on March 19 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Blessing at 5 p.m.



MARCH 29

• The Friends of the Animal Shelter is announcing their popular Annual Tea with Friends on Sunday, March 29, 2:00-4:00 pm at the Bay St. Louis Community Center, and are accepting table sponsorships, and/or individual reservations. This is an elegant High Tea and a fabulous silent auction. Please help the Friends continue their efforts to care for the animals of Hancock County by participating in this fundraiser. As there is a limited number of tables, it is recommended that reservations be made early. Tables seat 8, and individual tickets are \$15. Please contact the tea coordinator at 228-342-1113, or grandmasue304@gmail.com.

APRIL 4

• Relay for Life for Hancock County invites you to our Relay Day of Hope to be held Saturday April 4, 2020 at the Hollywood Walking track by the RV park from 4-8 p.m. There will be food, music and many activities such as Gentle Yoga, line dancing, Tai Chi, Self-defense techniques and a culinary demonstration. At dusk there will be the traditional luminaria ceremony. The main focus of our event is to honor all survivors and caregivers and we would like to ask any survivor to let us know they are coming! You

can sign up to be a team with family, friends and/or co-workers! Go to <http://www.relayforlife.org/hancockms>. For more information, please contact Relay co-chairs: Bernie Cullen at tcbbcullen@yahoo.com or Nonnie Richardson at njr1_msn.com.

APRIL 18

• The 2nd Annual Hancock County Parade of Homes is set for Saturday, April 18 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The parade, which is free and open to the public, will feature homes for sale throughout Hancock County. The Parade of Homes is currently seeking sponsors. Information on sponsorship packages is now available online at <http://hancockmsmyhome.com>. Questions may be directed to the Hancock Chamber of Commerce at 228-467-9048. Attendees may register onsite at one of the homes. All registered attendees will be entered in the drawing for the grand prize giveaway, and will get an extra entry for every home they tour. Listings for homes on the tour will be available for viewing online toward the end of March and print maps will be available in April.



APRIL 25, 2020

• Bay Senior High School Class of 1970 has scheduled its 50th class reunion. All classmates and friends of the class are invited to call Cheryl at 228-206-0432 for more information.

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Devotional Page

HE NEVER SAID "I Told You So" By Gary Andrews

How many times over our lifetime have we told someone "I told you so?" If you are like me it probably has been more than you want to remember.

A lot of the time when we are in situations where we see something taking place and speak up about it saying that the result someone is looking for will never work. In the end the plan doesn't work and we allow our egos to jump up and say "I told you so?"

We see so much going on in our world today that it seems to be a repeat of what the Israelites went through during their reign of wicked kings. Are we, as Christians, standing aside and watching the deterioration of our country and the world? Are the religions of the world putting God on the sideline and trying to appease the people by telling them what the world expects and that God will bless them for it?

The prophet Jeremiah went through the same thing. He saw a world full of immorality, hypocrisy, and much idolatry. He was like some in our world today who stands aside and don't want to be involved.

God had other plans for Jeremiah just as He has for us. God had called Jeremiah the day he was conceived and had plans for him to fulfill the mission that He called him for.

Jeremiah knew that he was supposed to minister to Judah during the times of these wicked kings. He saw what God's people had become and stood back not wanting to get involved. He was so much like we are now.

Jeremiah was called the "weeping prophet," and for good reason. He

knew what was going to happen to the people of Judah but they didn't want to listen. However he did tell them where they were headed and what God was going to do to them, but the people were only interested in what the world was offering.

As Christians we know where our country is headed today. We are in the same situation that Jeremiah was and we can only minister and speak to the people hoping they will listen. The Israelites wouldn't listen to Jeremiah and was eventually taken captive and used as slaves by Babylon. I only wonder what God has in store for us?

If only we could get our people to read and heed to what Jeremiah 7:23 says, "Obey my voice, and I will be your God, and you shall be my people. And walk in all the ways that I have commanded you, that it may be well with you."

Even after the fall of Judah, Jeremiah could have said, "I told you so," but he didn't. What about you? Are you telling people what God's plan is? Even if they are not listening and when God's plan comes to be, are going to say, "I told you so?"

Prayer: Father God, I pray that I can be a voice for you and that the people of today will listen to what you have to say. I pray for our country and pray that we will again turn to you for leadership and guidance. Amen.

Gary Andrews is the author of Encouraging Words: 30-days in God's Word. To obtain a copy send a check or money order of \$15.00 to Gary Andrews, 504 Enchanted Drive, Yazoo City, MS 39194.

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Celebrating women’s right to vote

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

This year marks a century since women earned the right to vote in the U.S. and both the local Democratic and Republican women’s clubs are celebrating.

“After the 19th Amendment was ratified in 1920, African American women as well as white women voted in elections and held political office,” Dr. Barbara Mayfield-Coatney of the Hancock County Federation of Democratic Women said this week. “Many Southern states including Mississippi passed laws that prevented African Americans the Right to Vote. It took several decades before the Voting Right Act passed in 1965. This Act made voting much easier and more equitable for all people.

“Women of all races

must be given not only the Right to Vote but should be represented at every level of government, local, state and nationally.”

Hancock County Federation of Democratic Women members are marching in several upcoming local parades to mark a century of suffrage.

“We’re walking in honor of 100 years of women’s suffrage as a reminder that women and African Americans had to fight for the right to vote,” Wendy Sullivan said. “We walk to remind Americans that we all have the responsibility to use that right. In addition, we need to ensure that all Americans are able to exercise their rights to vote.”

Sullivan, a U.S. Army veteran, retired college professor and active community volunteer, puts her money where her mouth is. She participated in the nation-

wide Women’s March in Washington, D.C. in 2017, and has joined several other Hancock Democratic women in other marches here. They marched in the Martin Luther King Parade and Clydesdale parade last month.

Members of the Federation of Democratic Women are also scheduled to march in the Krewe of Real People Mardi Gras parade on Friday 25; and the Coast-wide 19th Amendment parade on April 17.

Any women who want to march with them are welcome. They dress in Democrat blue or 1920s hats and/or sashes. For more information, contact Barbara Coatney at bcoatney_1@msn.com.

The Hancock County Republican Women’s Club is also honoring a century of earning the right to vote with a “Winning the Vote” celebration on Friday, April 17, in downtown Bay St.



Louis from 3-7 p.m.

“The day’s events will begin with a mix and mingle buffet and cash bar, followed by a meet and greet with Sen. Cindy Hyde-Smith,” according to a club press release.

At 5:30 p.m., women will parade through the streets with a celebration at the Hancock County Courthouse beginning at 6 p.m.

All proceeds from the celebration will benefit local non-profit organizations dedicated to the welfare of women, including the St. Vincent de Paul Community Pharmacy, Magdalene House, Community Care Network and United MSD Foundation.

The event is sponsored by the Hancock County Republican Women’s Club, Harri-

son County Republican Women’s Club, Jackson County Republican Women’s Club and the Coast Young Republican Women.

To register for “Winning the Vote,” please visit www.hcrwomensclub.com. For more information, contact hcrwomensclub@gmail.com.

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don’t know how many people actually participated, but there were probably 90-some-odd floats, altogether, plus walking and marching groups, bands and dancing groups. For the most part, there was a good crowd considering the rain, and then it got bigger.

“Some people went away, but they actually did come back after the parade started rolling.”

Smith said the alleged doll incident (see separate story) was troubling, but he hoped it wouldn’t taint people’s memories of the parade. He said he hoped investigators would be able to get to the bottom of it.

“We’re trying to figure out this whole issue with the little doll, who did it, what they were thinking. I would only pray that it

was not intentional.”

The 41st annual Krewe of Kids parade went off without a hitch on Saturday, with Mayor Mike Favre toasting King Ian Duhon and Queen Rainey Favre.

As usual, the kids toasted the senior royals at Dunbar Village before continuing on their route.

Other upcoming Carnival events include:

- Saturday, Feb. 22
1 pm., Diamondhead - Annual Krewe Of Diamondhead Mardi Gras Parade
- Sunday, Feb. 23
1 p.m., Pass Christian - Annual St. Paul Mardi Gras Parade
- Monday, Feb. 24
5 p.m., Bay St. Louis - Annual Mystic Krewe of the Seahorse “Lundi Gras” Parade
- Tuesday, Feb. 25 - Mardi Gras Day
1 p.m., Bay St. Louis - Krewe of Diamonds Mardi Gras Parade



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wearing a white jersey riding in the front driver’s side of a black-and-gold New Orleans Saints-themed truck float allegedly called Fairconeture’s 12-year-old daughter over to grab a special throw. She says he handed her a black doll by the purple beads tied around its neck.

Fairconeture posted a photo of the doll to social media, where it quickly went viral, with commenters taking both sides.

Some commenters said the doll in the photo is similar to “Mammy” dolls, which many people consider to perpetuate racist stereotypes.

However, others said it is similar to primitive dolls which both black and white artists create using both African American and Caucasian themes. As for the “noose,” some commenters said it may have just been beads tied around the dolls neck so they didn’t come loose.

Sea Coast Echo General Manager Geoff Belcher took a photo of one of the floats showing the doll hanging with a group of other dolls and stuffed animals, all of which were secured to the float with beads around their necks.

Fairconeture said the doll

itself was disturbing enough, but the man allegedly took the incident a step further when he held the doll by the beads tied around the dolls neck and said, “It’s you!” while staring and pointing at her daughter.

Fairconeture said her daughter was in shock and highly upset.

“She walked away from the float humiliated,” she said.

By the time the young girl was able to come to terms with what had happened and informed her mother and grandmother of the incident, the float was too far gone to identify, Fairconeture said.

“We were all just shocked,” Fairconeture said. “We weren’t quite sure what to do.”

She said they spotted an officer nearby and decided to report the incident after others parade-goers said they should. They first snapped a photograph and then handed the doll over to a Bay St Louis police officer.

Fairconeture said she was told it wasn’t the first police report to be made that day about the unexpected handout.

The young girl was so embarrassed, her mom said, she went inside the family RV they had in the parking lot and did not come back out to participate in the parade.

“It just so happens, with it being Black History month, I was teaching my daughter the empowerment of a woman,”

she said. “Not just a black woman, but a woman in general. Now I just hope all that doesn’t go out the window. I hope she can stay strong.”

The social media debate blew up on Monday, garnering intense media coverage.

Again, comments on the matter ran the gamut, with some saying the intent was obviously racist and others saying it could have been perfectly innocent. Others criticized the media — including the Sea Coast Echo — for perpetuating a “rush to judgement” in the matter.

Fairconeture said that whatever people thought, her daughter was traumatized by the incident. However, later Sunday night, people of all races offered support and encouragement which convinced her daughter to take a stand.

The two contacted Hancock County NAACP’s President Gregory Barabino and reported the matter. Barabino said a state-wide investigation has been launched.

“Our priority right now is the well-being of the young lady,” Barabino said. “We will work with anyone to assure this incident gets resolved and the appropriate ramifications are applied. Although we are committed to continue fighting against ignorance, racism and hatred, this is really an issue not for the NAACP but for my white brothers and sisters

to address. We will be there to support the white community as they correct the behavior, punish the perpetrator, and apologize publicly to the black community and the innocent young girl!”

Waveland’s Mayor Mike Smith was quick to reply when he heard the allegations. He said in a Facebook post, if the person was identified, “That person would be charged with a hate crime!”

Waveland Police Chief Mike Prendergast confirmed his department would aid the Bay P.D. in its investigation: “This kind of stuff will not be tolerated in our community,” he said.

Officials say the float has been identified, but the person who gave the girl the doll has not.

Members of the Krewe of Nereids said they were shocked to hear of the incident. They confirmed the float identified was a truck float which was not affiliated with the organization, but followed the Nereids’ parade.

In a statement released Monday, the Krewe of Nereids said, “These floats are independently owned and operated, and the riders on these floats are not members of Nereids.

“The Nereids organization does not condone or agree with this behavior and has never approved of or supported any

offensive conduct in the past, nor will such offensive conduct and racially divisive acts be tolerated or excused now or at any time in the future.”

A member of the organization said the the group is looking into the claim in an effort to help find the person responsible and whether this was an isolated incident.

“Anyone with information that may assist in this inquiry is invited to share that information via the Krewe’s Facebook page,” according to the group’s statement.

“To that end, the Captain and Officers of the Krewe of Nereids would like to assure the person or persons impacted by this incident, along with all parade-goers and the communities which have supported Nereids for more than a half-century, that steps are being taken to prevent similar offensive conduct from ever occurring again, and to ensure that the responsible party or parties will no longer be allowed to parade with the Krewe of Nereids.”

The Fairconeture family said they refuse to let this ruin their spirits or their tradition of attending the Krewe of Nereids Parade.

“We plan to be in attendance next year just like every other year,” Nicole said. “This parade is also part of our history and no one can take that away.”

The Perfect Game

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Last Thursday was a big day for the Hancock High School boys and girls bowling teams — the girls won the state championship, the boys came in third state-wide and one of their members — Nicholas Cumberland — bowled a perfect game.

“Last year he was number three and this year he’s number one,” Nick’s grandmother Carol Grassley said. “It’s the first time in eight years Hancock’s ever had a 300!”

Nicholas’s sister, Kenzie, is also a bowling champ. She was the state championship runner-up her senior year in 2018.

“This is his first 300 game ever, and it’s the last tournament of his high school career,” Nick’s dad Nick Cumberland Sr. said Friday.

Nick Jr. “taught himself how to bowl through YouTube videos,” his dad said. “I never bowled. He fell in



Coach Burge and Nick Cumberland.

Photo submitted

love with the game all by himself. ..He’s also a three-sport letterman at Hancock. He’s actually bowling and playing soccer at the exact same time.”

Cumberland said he’s very proud of his son.

“He works really hard,” Cumberland said. “He’s very focused when it comes to paying attention to what needs to be done. ... He really focused in yesterday and once he thought it was possible, he made

it happen. Throwing a 15 pound bowling ball down a 40 foot lane — throwing that ball the exact same way 12 times in a row, it’s something you’ve got to really pay attention to.

“He’s been wanting

it a long time and there couldn’t have been a better send-off for the last tournament of his high school career than bowling a perfect game.”

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of how child welfare policy is created so that on a case by case basis we can better support our volunteers who tirelessly speak up for our children in need”, states Cynthia Chauvin, Executive Director of CASA.

There are 950 CASA/GAL programs nationwide, including 45 state offices. The federal grant funds distributed through National CASA/GAL are provided by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, US Department of Justice, as authorized under the Victims of Child Abuse Act of 1990. In 2018, National CASA/GAL was awarded nearly \$10 million in federal grants.

For more information on CASA or about the program’s upcoming training of new volunteers set to begin in early March please visit www.casahancockcounty.org or contact CASA at 228.344.0419.

• **WISH**
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“I’m Batman.”

The party was part of a Make-A-Wish Foundation send-off for William and his family to travel to Legoland and Sea World in California.

William suffered from a form of leukodystrophy, a group of rare metabolic genetic diseases that affect the brain, spinal cord and often the peripheral nerves, leading to destruction of the myelin sheath of the brain. The condition can slow down or block messages between the brain and the rest of the body and can cause problems with movement, speaking, vision, hearing and mental and physical development.

“It has been a long, difficult journey for the family,” Make-A-Wish volunteer Cindy Kenny said. “Sadly, it will continue. But we will take time out to celebrate, let them leave their troubles behind for a while, and go make happy memories.”

Becka McLain, a family friend who helped organize Sunday’s party and emceed the event, thanked everyone for showing up and helping to make the celebration happen. She also thanked musician Pete Wellman for providing the entertainment.

William’s mom Pepper Foster Hicks, was overwhelmed by the kindness.

“The community has just been amazing,” she said. “We’ve gotten so many donations and so

much support from so many people.”

She thanked McLain, her family, the crew of El Gallo and the Make-A-Wish Foundation for their efforts.

“We just can’t thank everybody enough,” she said.

Francesca Garcia-Mendoza — who operates El Gallo with her brother Lacaro Garcia-Mendoza — said she was also thankful for the community’s support in making William’s send-off party such a success.

“We thank the community from the bottom of our hearts,” she said. “We just want to say thank you.”

McClain said.

For more information, you can reach out to the family on Facebook at #babywilliamstrong. You can also reach the



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo

William Garvey, 10, with his family on Sunday at El Gallo Mexican restaurant in Kiln

Make-A-Wish Foundation of Mississippi at 228-575-8691.

McLain said donation buckets will also be

set up soon at the Rum Kitchen, O’Reilly’s Auto Parts, Roger’s Sports Bar & Grill,the Knock-Knock Lounge, El Gal-

lo and Dolly’s in Kiln, Dat Kitchen, Too and Baber’s at Hwy., 49 in Gulfport.

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clude the Valentines Day holiday.”

Customers picked out heart-shaped doilies from the Valentine’s tree, located inside the Diamondhead Rouses, which they took to the register to be scanned and paid for, he said.

Each gift package included a glass vase with a carnation arrangement, a bag of sugar-free Russell Stover chocolates, and a heart-shaped balloon.

On Feb. 13, Rouses delivered 111 gifts to the residents of Woodland Village, Clark said.

Each resident also received a hand-made Valentine’s Day card made by the students at East Hancock Elementary School, he added. A Diamondhead resident also purchased ice cream for the residents’ ice cream party.

“We will continue our efforts to support this group of people and show them there are people that really care for them and they are not forgotten,” Clark said.



Chuck from Rouses in Diamondhead delivered 111 Valentine’s presents to the residents at Memorial Woodland Village Nursing Center in Diamondhead.



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MDHS program helps thousands of Mississippians stay warm during winter

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Thousands of Mississippians won’t have to worry about staying warm this winter, thanks to a program offered by the Mississippi Department of Human Services.

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs. This important resource provides fi-

nancial assistance to eligible households in managing cost associated with:

- Home Energy bills
- Energy Crisis Weatherization
- Repair or replacement of heaters or furnaces

Households may qualify for regular LIHEAP assistance and/or the Energy Crisis Intervention Program (ECIP) for natural gas, wood, electricity, liquid propane/butane gas and other energy-related services.

“Many of our vulnerable

Mississippians, especially the elderly, disabled, and families with small children have difficulty paying their energy bills, and repairing their heating units,” MDHS Director of Community Services Tina Ruffin said. “Our goal is to help as many eligible families as possible not have to worry about how they will survive the cold winter months.

“Also, we ask that everyone check on their neighbors, family members and friends to make sure they have suffi-

cient heat. The dedicated staff of the Mississippi Department of Human Services is here to refer families for this assistance.”

Individuals who have never received services may submit a Pre Application through the Virtual ROMA website at <https://virtualroma.mdhs.ms.gov>. This site is available nationwide, but services and funds are for residents of Mississippi only.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age or an eman-

cipated minor. Individuals without access to a computer may call the Community Action Agency (CAA) or Human Resource Agency (HRA) in their area. Refer to the agency directory for agency contact information and services location.

For more information and to apply for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program, visit<https://www.mdhs.ms.gov/community-services/>.

PCES Students of the Month



Photo courtesy of PCES

Congratulations to the following students for being selected by their teachers as the November students of the month. These students were selected because they have displayed the character trait of gratitude/thankfulness in all that they do! Here are the Pirate leaders for the month of November: PreK: Jonah Pace. Kindergarten: Jayden Acker, Maya Jamil, and Bella Gonzales. 1st Grade: Baleigh Boston, Adam Jamil, and Emma Gant. 2nd Grade: Colby Hayes, Ainsley Moffett, and Romeo Campbell. 3rd Grade: Myareion Tinson, Jayden Moran, and Alli Sellier. 4th Grade: Caleb Walker, Mayleigh Watkins, Evie Payne, and Jordan Herrington. 5th Grade: Ava Ray, Michael Hughes, Keeley DeVault, and Farrell Walton (Switzer).

BWMS growing Wellness Garden

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The Bay-Waveland Middle School received a \$32,410 grant from the Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Mississippi Foundation to create an interactive outdoor learning environment for use by students and the community. Over the next year, the BWMS Garden Club will use the funding to create a multi-use Wellness Garden on campus that will include a vegetable garden, a small orchard and rain gardens. The space will

also provide a safe place for students to relax and recharge. Students will plant, harvest and maintain the garden during science class and after school hours. They'll get assistance along the way from local professionals - from scientists to chefs to yoga instructors - while getting an introduction to future career paths and interests, said teacher GiGi Wheeler, who wrote the grant. In late December, Ms. Wheeler also was awarded a \$5,000 grant from Ingalls for the solar panel pumps and systems for the garden and outdoor classroom including a charging station for phones. The Garden Club students will get hands-on experience growing healthy fresh foods that they will also learn to prepare. They also will learn how to manage storm-water to sustain the garden. They will add a series of trellises for climbing plants, wheelchair ac-

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ing underwater greenery. All of this was draped in blue tulle and fairy lights, with seashells scattered throughout. The white chair covers sported blue bows. A sunken chest spilling over with booty was seen in the bar and bistro tables held green glass balls and more shells. A back table was framed by pink and blue seahorses and featured pictures of past royalty, the Krewe of Janus. The pageantry began with Krewe Secretary Mary Alice Sierveld asking for a moment of silence for members who were no longer with us, Dr. Mark Jensen, Queen Hera IX Pat Robertson, and 2020 Apollo John O'Brien. Past Olympus Kings and Queens, known as the Krewe Janus were introduced. She then presented the Master of Ceremonies, Doug Maxwell who entered with his mighty trident. The members of the color guard, Pat Laird, Paul Larsen, and David Motz came forward and member Carlene Daborval led us in the singing of the National Anthem. The anthems of the 5 branches of the armed forced were played and past service members were invited to stand as their anthem was played. Current royalty and the King and Queen's special guests were then introduced. Emcee Doug gave a brief history of the Krewe and introduced officers and board members. Members of the decorating crew were introduced and thanked for their efforts. Doug then presented a brief history of Olympus and

the Greek gods that our Krewe chose to extol and personify. 2019 King Zeus Kurt and his Queen Jeanne Hawkins were welcomed as they said their final farewells, Queen Jeanne in a gorgeous purple and gold sequined gown. They were escorted by Committeemen Bobby Emry and Larry Sullivan. 2019 Apollo, David Motz, and Aphrodite Candy Motz were brought forward, followed by their committeemen Rick Sierveld and John McDonough. Three trumpet blasts heralded the arrival of King Zeus XIII Tim Kennedy and his Queen Hera XIII Kelly Kennedy. Kelly was the personification of beauty in a silver satin gown with a halter neckline and flowing skirt. A stunning statement necklace accessorized the gown perfectly. They made their way to the stage followed by Apollo John Kunellis and his lovely Aphrodite Janelle Kunellis. Janelle wore a beautiful gold brocade trumpet gown accented with a broad pearl collar. To the song "Thank Heaven for Little Girls" debutante Miss Rebecca Patout Walk was escorted up by her father Mr. Wesley Patout. Miss Hayden Fairley Matheson was then presented, on the arm of her father Dr. Duncan F. Matheson. They were both presented with commemorative Olympus medallions by committeemen Bobby Emry and Larry Sullivan. Board member and Debutante Chair Kathryn Larsen presented the girls with framed copies of their truly impressive biographies. Both girls were lovely in their long white gowns and gloves, carrying two long

stemmed white roses. President Betty in her gorgeous black and gold sequined gown presented the royal couple with the official Krewe Mardi Gras flag. Queen Hera 2019 Jeanne Hawkins then presented the King and Queen with their royal goblets. King Tim offered the royal toast to his queen and Krewe members, followed by King 2019 Kurt Braun, who offered a toast to the Royal Court on behalf of the Krewe. The court was escorted to the back of the ballroom to the song "Procession of the Nobles", followed by the debutantes and their fathers. Within minutes, the court returned to the floor to have their first royal dance, joined shortly by visiting royalty. And dinner was served! We chose either a filet topped with Demi Glaze or a flounder stuffed with crawfish, crab, and shrimp and covered with Hollandaise and Remoulade sauces. Both entrees were served with butter-nut squash soup, spinach stuffed tomatoes, Lyonnaise scalloped potatoes, and Crème Brulee. Big round of applause to the chef, and the wait staff for great service. An elaborate evening like this doesn't just happen. Many worked long hours to make it as special as it was, and all under the guidance of Krewe President Betty Maxwell, who worked harder and longer than the rest of us! Thanks, too, to Doug Maxwell, our music man, MC, and all around good guy. He was a huge help bringing things to and from the storage unit, setting up speakers, back drops, pillars, stage and door decorations, and I'm sure lots more!

The band Southern Voice provided great dance music, as usual. Before the night was over the debts and all their pretty friends were on the stage, joined by Queen Kelly, dancing to Disco Inferno! What a memorable evening as Olympus Visited Atlantis Under the Sea! Laisses Les Bon Temps Roulez!

You have to spend money to Make money.

IT'S NOT JUST A SAYING...THE PROOF IS IN BLACK AND WHITE.

money
[muhn-ee], n.
1. any circulating medium of exchange, including coins, paper money, and demand deposits.

You have to spend money to Make money.
This is a common English saying. It means that it's hard to make **money** in a business without investing some money in supplies, products, advertisement or other business expenses.

Who wants to hear that? Probably no one. The truth hurts.

Owning a business is tough. No one ever said it was easy. In owning a business, your goal is to be recognized and successful. Why put in all of the hard work to be basically "invisible"? You see ads that run regularly. These businesses are successful. They're seen weekly whether it be to a flashy logo or an attractive female/male model. The point is that the business is getting noticed. A common phrase heard among salesman and ad representatives is this: "We don't have the money to advertise." Sorry to be blunt, but you probably won't ever have "extra" **money** if you're unknown. Advertisements in the newspaper can pay big dividends if they are targeted to the right markets and presented in a way that encourages readers to buy.

You need to **Know Your Audience**. While younger Americans aren't the newspaper readers that their parents and grandparents are, print still offers a way of reaching key demographics. According to a study prepared for the Newspaper Association of America, 65.6 percent of respondents read the newspaper at least once in the past week, and that number rises to 72.6 percent of adults aged 55 and over. Print media is accessed by both genders, with 60.8 percent of each having read a newspaper over the past seven days. If those figures match your target marketing audience, **it makes sense to use print** to reach them.

Location, Location, Location... Location can't be stressed enough. Newspapers offer the ability to target your ads to better reach a specific customer base. For example, if you're selling sports equipment, advertising on TV during the NFL playoffs is likely cost-prohibitive and may reach many viewers with no intention of buying your wares. A small advertisement in your local sports section has the potential to catch the eye of football fans in your area, getting the local sports fans attention at a fraction of the cost. Make sure your ad is in the right spot in the paper. You're likely to have better luck selling musical instruments in the entertainment section of the paper than in the business or food sections.

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Meet Max. This handsome, 2 year old Mountain Cur mix is all about the LOVE! We can usually find Max hanging out with our volunteers as they make their rounds spending quality time with our doggies. Max is most definitely a favorite of our kennel techs, too. He gives the best hugs, and we think he is quite the looker. His unique soft coat and striking face are even more stunning in person. So, you know what you have to do, right? Yep, come by and meet Max, take him for a walk, (he loves going for long walks), get you some hugs, and fall in love! We have a nice play yard that's perfect for meet-n-greets, so, if you have a dog, please bring your pooch along for the introduction. Bring the kids, too. Max is great with children and other friendly dogs. We believe this sweet boy is house trained because he keeps his kennel clean and relieves himself as soon as he is taken outdoors. Max would be the perfect companion for a single person, couple or active retirees and seniors. He would be a remarkable family dog, too. So, come one, come all, and meet Max at the Hancock County Animal Shelter, 7175 Texas Flat Rd, Kiln. You will surely fall in love with him. Call 228 466 4516 for more information, and visit our Facebook page, Hancock County Animal Shelter, MS, to see more pictures of Max and of the many other adoptable doggies and kitties looking for their forever homes.

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All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968, as amended, which makes it illegal to advertise "any preferences,

The sale is presently as cut 1st thin on 140 acre + pine plantation which includes operator select/corridor thinning. The stand is a hand planted, 22 year old loblolly pine plantation with an average merchantable height of 34 feet, and an average DBH of 9.8 inches. At present the average basal area is 145 square feet per acre. Corridors 15 feet wide will be harvested and utilized as haul and skid rows. The width between corridors will be 45 feet. The timber will be thinned to an average of 70 square feet of basal area per acre. Trees designated for sale are those, pulpwood & chip-n-saw size trees not needed to form an average basal area of 70 square feet per acre. Such leave basal area shall consist of evenly distributed trees of sawlog or potential

TO: Unknown Putative Father, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose post office address is not known to the Petitioners after diligent inquiry made by said Petitioners.

You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Child Protection Services by Marcus D. Davenport, Deputy Director of Permanency, and, T.P.B. a minor, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minor and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minor be placed with the Hancock County Department of Child Protection Services.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR

THURSTERS' EASES and Expense of sale. NOW,
THEREFORE, I, J. Gary Massey, Special
Commissioner, will on March 4, 2020 offer
for sale at public outcry and sell within legal
hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m.
and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door of the County
Courtthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis,
Hancock County, Mississippi, to the highest
and best bidder for cash or certified funds
the following described property situated in
the following Parish, State of Mississippi, to-wit:
LOT 102, DEER PARK SUBDIVISION,
PHASE III, ACCORDING TO THE
OFFICIAL PLAT OF SAID SUBDIVISION
ON FILE IN PLAT BOOK 8, PAGES 37-41
IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY
CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY
MISSISSIPPI. THE ABOVE DESCRIBED
REAL PROPERTY INCLUDES A MANU-
FACTURED HOME DESCRIBED AS A
1996 FLEETWOOD 80 X 16 BEARING A
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THE MANUFACTURED HOME IS A FIXTURE
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WHEREAS on January 19, 2016, Louis K. Dickinson, a single man, executed a Deed of Trust in favor of Whitney Bank, Beneficiary and Joy Lambert Phillips, Trustee, which Deed of Trust was recorded in the records of mortgages and deeds of trust on land in the office of the Chancery Clerk for Hancock County, Mississippi, in deed book book 2016 at pages 1167-1176 with respect to the real property located in Hancock County, Mississippi described herein below; and WHEREAS, the Hancock Whitney Bank, formerly known as Hancock Bank, the present owner and holder of the above-described Deed of Trust, has heretofore substituted William P. Wessler as Trustee by instrument dated January 15, 2020 and recorded in said Chancery Clerk's office on January 27, 2020 in book 2020 at pages 1827-1828; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust, Hancock Whitney Bank, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the said trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and expenses of sale; NOW, THEREFORE, I, William P. Wessler, Substituted Trustee in said Deed of Trust will on TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the main front door of the Hancock County courthouse located at

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152 Main Street , Bay St. Louis, Mississippi to the highest and best bidder for cash the real property and improvements being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot of parcel of land, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances, advantages, be-longing or anyway appertaining , situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, being more fully described as follows, to wit: Lots 4,5,6 and 7, Block 10, Town of Pearlrington, Hancock County, Mississippi as per the official plat thereof on filed in in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi

Commonly known as 5331 Highway 604, Pearlrington, MS 39572 I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 4th day of February, 2020. /s/ William P. Wessler WILLIAM P WESSLER SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE 1624 24th Avenue Gulfport, MS 39501 228-863-3686 MSB # 7110 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW DRAFT CZMA SECTION 309 ASSESS-MENT & STRATEGY Every five years, the Federal Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA) requires state Coastal Management Programs (CMPs) to identify challenges and enhance-ment opportunities within each of nine enhancement areas. The Office for Coastal Management within the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration works closely with state CMPs to prioritize and evaluate state program needs and develop strategies to improve its operations. Public and stakeholder involvement is an important part of this process. A draft CZMA Section 309 Assessment and Strategy for 2021-2025 is available on the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources' (MDMR) website, www. dnmr.ms.gov, for public review. The document can be found under the Public Notice section on the MDMR homepage. Public comments on the draft are encouraged and will be accepted through March 10, 2020. All comments should be mailed to Robin Zantow, MDMR, Office of Coastal Resources Management, 1141 Bayview Avenue, Biloxi, MS 39530 or emailed to Robin Zantow at publiccomments@dnmr.ms.gov and delivered by 5:00 p.m. on March 10, 2020. 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL BRENNON FAYARD, DE- CEASED NO. 19-584(1) CRYSTAL M. FAYARD EXECUTRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Michael Bremonn Fayard, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court, Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 3rd day of February, 2020, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within 90 days from the date of the first publication of this notice, failure to do so will bar this claim. THIS the 5th day of February, 2020. CRYSTAL M. FAYARD Executrix BY: /s/ TIMOTHY L. MURR TIMOTHY L. MURR Perry, Murr, Teel & Koennnn P. O. Box 7158 Gulfport, MS 39506 (228) 896-0020 MSB #3682 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT OLD SPANISH TRAIL STAGE, 716 OLD SPANISH TRAIL, WAVELAND, MS 39576 WILL SELL, TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH THE CONTENTS OF THE FOLLOWING UNITS. THE SALE WILL TAKE PLACE AT 10:00 A.M., FEBRUARY 21, 2020. ROSE HILTON, UNIT #59 LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 5080 LOWER BAY RD, BAY ST. LOUIS, MS 39521 LUIS ORTIZ, UNIT #16 LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 616 HWY 90 APT 190, WAVE- LAND, MS 39576 DELENOR AUSMER, UNIT #71, LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 114 ESPANA PARK DR, WAVELAND, MS 39576 02/12/20, 02/19/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BRAD FITCH, DECEASED CAUSE NO. 18-CV-303-CB SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO: The heirs-at-law of Brad Fitch, Deceased. You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Kimberly Colletti, Administratrix of Plaintiff, seeking Determi- nation of wrongful death beneficiaries and/or heirs at law of Brad Fitch, Deceased. Defendants other than you in the action are anyone with a claim as a wrongful death beneficiary and/or heir of law of Brad Fitch, Deceased.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to Charles R. Mullins, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose street address is 500 N. State Street, Jackson, Mississippi 39201. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 12th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2020, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDG- MENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT. You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT, THIS the 6th day of February, 2020. TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, Chancery Court Clerk BY: Cassie Tribble, D.C. 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY STATE OF MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE DECLARA- TION OF RIGHTS RELATIVE TO THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION CIVIL ACTION NO. 20-CV-55-JP GREER G. O'BRIEN PETITIONER SUMMONS The State of Mississippi TO: ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OF KIRBY E. GOWLAND, JR., DECEDENT, WHOSE NAMES, POST OFFICE AD- DRESSES AND/OR STREET ADDRESSES ARE UNKNOWN You have been made Defendants in a suit filed in this Court by Greer G. O'Brien, Petitioner, seeking determination of heirs of Kirby E. Gowland, Jr., Decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on the 19th day of March, A.D. 2020, in the Chancery Courtroom of the Harrison County Chancery Court Building located at 730 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd, Biloxi, Mississippi 39530, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money and other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or oth- er pleading, but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 6th day of February, A.D., 2020. TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY, MS BY: Tammy Meyer Deputy Clerk Publish: 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

INVTTATION TO BID Bid for (1) New/Unused Single Engine Com- bination Sewer and Catch Basin Chassis Mounted Unit w/Rapid Deployment Boom & Hydro-excavator System NOTICE TO BIDDER: Diamondhead Water & Sewer District is seeking bids for the purchase of a New/Unused Rapid Deployment Boom, Vac/Jet Truck and associated equipment.

The specifications and documentation may be downloaded at www.centralbidding.com for a fee. All bid specification responses must be submitted no later than (February 26, 2020). All bid responses must comply with the spec- ifications provided. Diamondhead Water & Sewer District reserves the right to amend the specifications and documents as necessary prior to the bid deadline and agrees to notify all having requested bid packets. Bidder shall be responsible for complying with all local, state and federal requirements and regulations. Only compliant bidders will be allowed to participate. Bidding will be held by electronic reverse auction at: www.centralbidding.com (March 04, 2020). Electronic reverse auction bids can be sub- mitted at www.centralbidding.com. Please contact Central Bidding at 225-810-4814 if you have any questions relating to the electronic bid process. Selected bid will be presented to the Dia- mondhead Water and Sewer District's Board of Commissioners on March 12, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. – Diamondhead City Hall, during the Regular Board Meeting for final approval. The District reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids; to waive irregularities and technicalities in the bid process; and to award the bid which is in the best interest of the District. Contract for purchase will be made from the lowest and/or best bid submitted. 02/12/20, 02/19/20

NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK WHEREAS, default has occurred in the performance of the covenants, terms and conditions of a Deed of Trust dated April 17, 2007, executed by KERRY A. HAWES FRA- LEIGH AKA KERRY A. HAWES, JOHN EDWARD FRALEIGH, conveying certain real property therein described to ELITE TITLE INSURANCE AGENCY, INC., as Trustee, for MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS INC AS NOMINEE FOR RESMAE MORTGAGE CORPORATION, Original Beneficiary, to secure the indebtedness therein described, as same appears of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi filed and recorded April 26, 2007, in Deed Book 2007, Page 18932 ; and WHEREAS, the beneficial interest of said Deed of Trust was transferred and assigned to GSMS Loan Trust, and WHEREAS, the undersigned, Rubin Lublin, LLC has been appointed as Substitute Trustee; and NOW, THEREFORE, the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the under- signed so to do, as Substitute Trustee or his duly appointed agent, by virtue of the power, duty and authority vested and imposed upon said Substitute Trustee shall, on March 18, 2020 within the lawful hours of sale between 11:00AM and 4:00PM at the front door of the Courthouse proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds ONLY, the following de- scribed property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to wit: ALL THAT CERTAIN PIECE OR PORTION OF GROUND, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, AND ALL THE RIGHTS, WAYS, PRIVILEGES, SERVITUDES, APPURTENANCES AND ADVANTAGES THEREUNTO BELONGING OR IN ANY- WISE APPERTAINING, SITUATED IN THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTH- WEST 1/4 OF SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH, RANGE 14 WEST, HANCOCK COUNTY MISSISSIPPI, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT AN IRON PIPE FOUND AT THE NORTHWEST COMER OF SAID SECTION 14, THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 14, NORTH 89 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 1193.71 FEET TO AN IRON ROD ON THE EAST MARGIN OF FENTON DEDEAUX ROAD BEING THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE ALONG SAID NORTH LINE, NORTH 89 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 141.64 FEET TO AN IRON PIPE FOUND AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTH- WEST 1/4, OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 14, THENCE ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4; SOUTH 00 DEGREES 36 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST 311.78 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 25 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST 134.91 FEET TO AN IRON ROD ON THE EAST MARGIN OF FENTON DEDEAUX ROAD; THENCE ALONG THE EAST MARGIN OF FENTON DEDEAUX ROAD, NORTH 03 DEGREES 32 MINUTES 51 SECONDS WEST 96.88 FEET TO AN IRON ROD; THENCE CONTINUE ALONG SAID MARGIN, NORTH 01 DEGREES 04 MIN- UTES 36 SECONDS WEST 215.03 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SAID PARCEL CONTAINS 1.00 ACRE, SAID PARCEL ALSO BEING SUBJECT TO A 25 MINUTES FOOT WIDE PRIVATE EASE- MENT DESCRIBED IN DEED BOOK BB 160, PAGE 561. EASEMENT OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTH 25 FEET DATED 3/12/96, MORE FULLY DESCRIBED AND RECORDED ON 3/13/96 IN BOOK BB 134, PAGE 72; ROW DATED 12/13/96, MORE FULLY DESCRIBED AND RECORDED ON 1/8/97 IN BOOK BB 160, PAGE 551, IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI. PROPERTY ADDRESS: The street address of the property is believed to be 18534 FEN- TON DEDEAUX ROAD, KILN, MS 39556. In the event of any discrepancy between this street address and the legal description of the property, the legal description shall control. Title to the above described property is be- lieved to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee. THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

428 North Lamar Blvd, Suite 107 Oxford, MS 38655 rlselaw.com/property-listing Tel: (877) 813-0992 Fax: (404) 601-5846 PUBLISH: 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20, 03/11/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR., DECEASED DENNIS LOGAN TRACEY ADMINISTRATOR VERSUS CAUSE NO.: 23chl:18-cv-730 (SS) THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW DEFENDANTS SUMMONS (Service by Publication: Resident Known) TO: Unknown Heirs-at-Law, whose where- abouts and address is unknown. You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Petitioner, DENNIS LOGAN TRACEY, to determine and adjudicate any and all heirs-at-law of the deceased CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR. You are summoned to appear and defend against said Petition to Establish Heirs and on a certain date set, at 9:00 a.m. on the 26th day of March, 2020, in the Courtroom of the Hancock County Chancery Court, in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, in front of the Honorable Margaret Alfonso and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a Judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you so desire. ISSUED under my hand and the seal of Court this, the 3rd day of February, 2020. (Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi By: Cassie Tribble D.C. 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR., DECEASED CAUSE NO.: 23chl:18-cv-730 (SS) DENNIS LOGAN TRACEY, ADMINIS- TRATOR VERSUS THE KNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW DEFENDANTS SUMMONS (Service by Publication: Resident Known) TO: Known Heirs-at-Law, CHARLES JO- SEPH TRACEY, JR., AND SEAN O'HARA TRACEY, whose whereabouts and addresses are known. You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Petitioner, DENNIS LOGAN TRACEY, to determine and adjudicate any and all heirs-at-law of the deceased CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR. You are summoned to appear and defend against said Petition to Establish Heirs and on a certain date set, at 9:00 a.m. on the 26th day of March, 2020, in the Courtroom of the Hancock County Chancery Court, in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, in front of the Honorable Margaret Alfonso and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a Judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you so desire. ISSUED under my hand and the seal of Court this, the 3rd day of February, 2020. (Seal)

Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi BY: Cassie Tribble D.C. 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR., DECEASED CAUSE NO.: 23chl:18-cv-730 (SS) DENNIS LOGAN TRACEY, ADMINIS- TRATOR NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of CHARLES JOSEPH TRACEY, SR., deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 11th day of December, 2018, and all persons having claim against said Estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within ninety days from the date of the first publication of this notice, failure to do so will bar the claim. SO NOTICED this the 3rd day of February, 2020, and the seal of the Court herewith attached. TIMOTHY KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK BY: Cassie Tribble D.C. 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CAUSE NO. 23CHI:19-cv-723-CB SHARLINE BERNADETTE LOWREY, DECEASED CHRIS ZIEMBA and MICHAEL ZIEMBA, PETITIONERS SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Sharline Bernadette Lowrey, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office ad- dress are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.

You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Chris Ziemba and Michael Ziemba, Petitioners, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Sharline Bernadette Lowrey, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Sharline Bernadette Lowrey. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 16th day of March, 2020, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse, in Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to ap- pear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 10th day of February, 2020. Timothy A. Kellar, Hancock County Chancery Clerk Cassie Tribble, D.C. Publication Dates: 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: MORTON EUGENE GILLEY, JR., DECEASED CAUSE NO. 23CHI:19-cv-734-JP LEIGH ANN GILLEY, ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS Notice is hereby given that Letters of Ad- ministration were granted to the undersigned as Administrator of the Estate of Morton Eugene Gilley, Jr., deceased, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on or about the 20th day of December 2019, in the above styled and numbered cause, in said Court, and notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication hereof, and that failure to probate and register any such claim within said ninety (90) day period will forever bar the same. THIS, the 27th day of January, 2020. /s/ Leigh Ann Gilley LEIGH ANN GILLEY, Administratrix Preston J. Mauffray (MSB #101131) Attorney at Law, PLLC P.O. Box 4272 Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39521 Telephone: (228) 216-6124 Facsimile: (866) 216-6124 PUBLISH ON: 2/19/20; 2/26/20; and 3/04/20.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS, Darlene Boyd executed and delivered a Variable Rate Promissory Note ("Note") in favor of Robin W. Poirier (a/k/a "Robin Poirier") and 1011 Land Develop- ment, Inc. (a/k/a "1011 Land Development") in the principle amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars and 00/100 (\$60,000) on the 13th day of October 2017; and WHEREAS, in order to secure said Note, Darlene Boyd executed and delivered a Deed of Trust to Kelly Michael Rayburn as Trustee for Robin W. Poirier and 1011 Land Development, Inc., said Deed of Trust being dated October 13, 2017, and recorded on December 29, 2017 in Deed of Trust Book 2017 at Pages 27677-27689 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, Robin W. Poirier and 1011 Land Development, Inc. are currently the holders of said Promissory Note and Deed of Trust; and WHEREAS, said Mortgagor has defaulted in the terms of said Deed of Trust by failing to make the payments therein as specified and failing to pay the interest thereon, and under the terms of said Deed of Trust, said indebt- edness is declared due and payable; and WHEREAS, Robin W. Poirier and 1011 Land Development, Inc. have demanded that the same be foreclosed in the manner provided therein so as to satisfy the indebtedness thereby secured; and WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provides that the Holders thereof may foreclose the Deed of Trust in accordance with applicable state law. NOW THEREFORE, I, Kelly Michael Rayburn, Trustee, as aforesaid, will on the 11th day of March 2020, offer for sale and sell during the legal hours (between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the front door of the Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, together with the

appurtenances and improvements thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, lying and being situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lots 35 and 39, Wood Haven, A subdivision of Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map or plat thereof on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. Title to said property is believed to be good, but I convey only such title as is vested in me as Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this 12th day of February 2020.. /s/ Kelly Michael Rayburn Kelly Michael Rayburn, Trustee Prepared by: Kelly Michael Rayburn P.O. Box 2566 Gulfport, MS 39505 (228) 539-2400 (ofc) (228) 539-3130 (fax) MSB# 8604 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL Purpose: This Request for Proposal (RFP) is to contract for a financial consultant for the Hancock Resource Center (herein referred to as HRC). Certified Public Accountants are preferred for this RFP Scope of Services Required: Financial Consultant will evaluate accounting practices and make recommendations related to: • Financial system design; • Operating reserve; • Change fiscal year; • Facility acquisition; and • Negotiating an indirect cost rate (NICRA) to improve long-term viability and financial health. • Complete Scope of Services within designated timeline/benchmarks: o 4/1/20-Initial meeting o 4/15/20-Work Plan o 6/1/20 Initial report o Implementation assistance through 12/31/20. Requirements: Respondents, in its proposal, shall, as a minimum, include the following: • Nonprofit experience, the proposal should describe its prior experience specific to the Scope of Services including the names, addresses, contact persons, and telephone numbers of prior clients. • A description of its organization, size and structure. • Respondents should describe the qualifi- cations of staff to be assigned. The Scope of Services is not appropriate for entry-level accounting staff. Experience is required. • Respondents should describe its under- standing of the work to be performed, estimated hours and cost, and other pertinent information as applies to the proposal. The proposal should include a cost to provide the Scope of Services. • Questions should be directed to Rhonda Rhodes, rhodes@hancockhrc.org. Selection: The HRC Finance Committee will recommend award based on the follow- ing selection criteria: • Prior experience of the firm (15 points) • Qualifications of the staff that will perform Scope of Services (25 points) • Understanding of the work to be performed, including a timeline and proposed milestones and timeliness of submission (25 points) • Price (35 points) • The total maximum points = 100 points. Contract will be awarded to the qualified firm or individual whose proposal is determined to be most advantageous to Hancock Resource Center. HRC reserves the rights to reject any or all submissions, to waive any infor- malities or irregularities in the qualification process, and to select more than one firm to obtain the full range of services needed. Respondents must submit one (1) copy of its proposal labeled: "Proposal for Financial Services" to Proposal for Financial Services, Hancock Resource Center, 454 Highway 90, Suite B, Waveland, MS 39576 or by email: rhodes@hancockhrc.org. on or before Wednesday, March 4th at 4:00 pm CST. 02/19/20

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS Purpose: This Request for Proposal (RFP) is to contract for a single audit and tax preparation of the Hancock Resource Center (herein referred to as HRC) for the year ended December 31, 2019. The Financial Audit report must be completed by 6/30/2020. The proposal includes options for two additional years. Only licensed Certified Public Account- ants may respond to this RFP. Requirements: Respondents, in its proposal, shall, as a minimum, include the following: • The proposal should describe its prior auditing experience including the names, addresses, contact persons, and telephone numbers of prior organizations audited including specific experience auditing non-profits. A description of its organization, size and structure should be included. Re- spondents should describe the qualifications of staff to be assigned to the audits and/or tax preparation. • Respondents should describe its understand- ing of the work to be performed, including audit procedures, tax preparation procedures, estimated hours, cost, timeline for completion of audit and 990, and other pertinent informa- tion as applies to the proposal. • Questions may be directed to Bryan Taylor, 228/463-8887 Ext. 101 or btyalor@ hancockhrc.org. Selection: Hancock Resource Center Audit Committee will recommend award based on the following selection criteria: • Prior experience (30 points) • Understanding of the work to be performed and attestation that the audit can be completed in a timely manner (35 points) • Price (35 points) • The total maximum points = 100 points. Contract will be awarded to the qualified firm or individual whose proposal is determined to be most advantageous to Hancock Resource Center. HRC reserves the rights to reject any or all submissions, to waive any infor- malities or irregularities in the qualification process, and to select more than one firm to obtain the full range of accounting and tax services needed. Respondents must submit one (1) copy of its proposal labeled: "Proposal for Audit and Tax Services" to the address below. It may be emailed to rhodes@hancockhrc.org, hand-delivered, delivered by U.S. Postal Service or an overnight service on or before Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at 4:00 pm CST. Proposal for Audit Services, Hancock Resource Center, 454 Highway 90, Suite B Waveland, MS 39576 02/19/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AMERICAN PRIDE PROPERTIES, LLC PLAINTIFF VERSUS CAUSE NO.C23CHI-20-cv-65 CB WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND PROPERTY OWN- ERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; JOEL SMITH, IN HIS CAPACITY AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION; AND ALL OTHER PERSONS, FIRMS AND CORPO- RATIONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE WITHIN DESCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN HANCOCK COUN- TY, MISSISSIPPI, WHICH WAS SOLD FOR HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AD VALOREM TAXES ON AUGUST 31, 2017 VIZ: PH 1 UN 1 BLK 3 LOT 41 DIA- MONDHEAD SEC 35 TWP 08 RANGE 14W PARCEL #: 067P-0-35-144.000 DISTRICT:2453 CITY:4 SCHOOL:2 PPIN#: 000025315 Plaintiff, AMERICAN PRIDE PROP- ERTIES, LLC obtained its interest in the subject property by virtue of a Quitclaim Deed and Assignment granted by MS TL LLC, dated November 20, 2019 and recorded on November 25, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 14256 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. A copy of said Quitclaim Deed and Assignment is attached hereto as Exhibit "2". MSTL, LLC being the highest and best bidder at the tax sale dated August 31, 2017 for the 2016 Hancock County, Mississippi ad valorem taxes which were not redeemed, was granted a Chancery Clerk's Conveyance for said property on October 7, 2019which was recorded on October 7, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 12395 in the Office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk. A copy of said Chancery Clerk's Conveyance is attached hereto as Exhibit "3". If you have a legal or equitable claim or interest in this property, you are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Quiet and Confirm Title and For Other Relief to the attorney for Plaintiffs, Negrotto & Associates, PLLC, c/o Lewie G. "Skip" Negrotto, IV, the attorney for Plaintiffs, whose post office address is 133 Davis Avenue, Ste. L, Pass Christian, MS 39571. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN THIRY- DAYS FROM THE 19th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2020, WHICH IS THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this Court is 152 Main Street, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, Mississippi DATED: 2/13/2020 BY: Cassie Tribble DEPUTY CLERK 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AMERICAN PRIDE PROPERTIES, LLC PLAINTIFF VERSUS CAUSE NO.C23CHI-20-cv-65 CB WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND PROPERTY OWN- ERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; JOEL SMITH, IN HIS CAPACITY AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION; AND ALL OTHER PERSONS, FIRMS AND CORPO- RATIONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE WITHIN DESCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN HANCOCK COUN- TY, MISSISSIPPI, WHICH WAS SOLD FOR HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AD VALOREM TAXES ON AUGUST 31, 2017 VIZ: PH 1 UN 1 BLK 3 LOT 41 DIA- MONDHEAD SEC 35 TWP 08 RANGE 14W PARCEL #: 067P-0-35-144.000 DISTRICT:2453 CITY:4 SCHOOL:2 PPIN#: 000025315 Plaintiff, AMERICAN PRIDE PROP- ERTIES, LLC obtained its interest in the subject property by virtue of a Quitclaim Deed and Assignment granted by MS TL LLC, dated November 20, 2019 and recorded on November 25, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 14256 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. A copy of said Quitclaim Deed and Assignment is attached hereto as Exhibit "2". MSTL, LLC being the highest and best bidder at the tax sale dated August 31, 2017 for the 2016 Hancock County, Mississippi ad valorem taxes which were not redeemed, was granted a Chancery Clerk's Conveyance for said property on October 7, 2019which was recorded on October 7, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 12395 in the Office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk. A copy of said Chancery Clerk's Conveyance is attached hereto as Exhibit "3". If you have a legal or equitable claim or interest in this property, you are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Quiet and Confirm Title and For Other Relief to the attorney for Plaintiffs, Negrotto & Associates, PLLC, c/o Lewie G. "Skip" Negrotto, IV, the attorney for Plaintiffs, whose post office address is 133 Davis Avenue, Ste. L, Pass Christian, MS 39571. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN THIRY- DAYS FROM THE 19th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2020, WHICH IS THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO: WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF WILLIAM R. LAMB, II; DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DUYEM PHAM A/K/A DUYEM P. LAMB; DIAMONDHEAD COUNTRY CLUB AND PROPERTY OWN- ERS ASSOCIATION, INC.; HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; JOEL SMITH, IN HIS CAPACITY AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION; AND ALL OTHER PERSONS, FIRMS AND CORPO- RATIONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE WITHIN DESCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN HANCOCK COUN- TY, MISSISSIPPI, WHICH WAS SOLD FOR HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AD VALOREM TAXES ON AUGUST 31, 2017 VIZ: PH 1 UN 1 BLK 3 LOT 41 DIA- MONDHEAD SEC 35 TWP 08 RANGE 14W PARCEL #: 067P-0-35-144.000 DISTRICT:2453 CITY:4 SCHOOL:2 PPIN#: 000025315 Plaintiff, AMERICAN PRIDE PROP- ERTIES, LLC obtained its interest in the subject property by virtue of a Quitclaim Deed and Assignment granted by MS TL LLC, dated November 20, 2019 and recorded on November 25, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 14256 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. A copy of said Quitclaim Deed and Assignment is attached hereto as Exhibit "2". MSTL, LLC being the highest and best bidder at the tax sale dated August 31, 2017 for the 2016 Hancock County, Mississippi ad valorem taxes which were not redeemed, was granted a Chancery Clerk's Conveyance for said property on October 7, 2019which was recorded on October 7, 2019 in Book 2019 at Page 12395 in the Office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk. A copy of said Chancery Clerk's Conveyance is attached hereto as Exhibit "3". If you have a legal or equitable claim or interest in this property, you are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of your response to the Complaint to Quiet and Confirm Title and For Other Relief to the attorney for Plaintiffs, Negrotto & Associates, PLLC, c/o Lewie G. "Skip" Negrotto, IV, the attorney for Plaintiffs, whose post office address is 133 Davis Avenue, Ste. L, Pass Christian, MS 39571. YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED WITHIN THIRY- DAYS FROM THE 19th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2020, WHICH IS THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward. The address of the Clerk of this Court is 152 Main Street, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, Mississippi DATED: 2/13/2020 BY: Cassie Tribble DEPUTY CLERK 02/19/20, 02/26/20, 03/04/20

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HAN- COCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN RE: ESTATE OF GAY RHODES LUSICH CAUSE NO. 23CHI:20-cv-00051-MA EXECUTRIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF GAY RHODES LUSICH Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 13th day of February, 2020, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Missis- sippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of GAY RHODES LUSICH, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within 90 days from this date, or they will be forever barred. This 13th day of February, A.D., 2020. JANETTE WHITE a/k/a JAN WHITE, EXECUTRIX Michael D. Haas, Jr. Haas and Haas Attorneys 201 N. Second Street Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 (228) 467-6574 MS Bar No. 5091 Publish Dates: 2/19/20, 2/26/20, 3/4/20

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF HANCOCK NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S SALE WHEREAS, on September 9, 2004, John S. Neumeyer and Waveland Professional Plaza, LLC, executed a Deed of Trust to J. Patrick Caldwell, Trustee for the benefit of BancorpSouth Bank, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Book 855 at Page 483-488 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and which Deed of Trust was renewed and extended on March 1, 2007 by Deed of Trust recorded in the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Book 2007 at Page 13331-13342 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and, WHEREAS, BancorpSouth Bank appointed and substituted Michael B. McDermott in the place and stead of said original trustee named in the aforesaid original Deeds of Trust, by instruments filed of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and recorded in said office in Book 2008 at Page 4583 and Book 2008 at Page 4579; and WHEREAS, on April 27, 2009, John S. Neumeyer executed a Deed of Trust to J. Patrick Caldwell, Trustee for the benefit of BancorpSouth Bank, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on Land in Book 2009 at Page 12484-12502 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and, which Deed of Trust was renewed and extended on June 28, 2013 by Deed of Trust recorded in the aforesaid records in Book 2013 at Page 17174-17193 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, BancorpSouth Bank appointed and substituted Michael B. McDermott in the place and stead of said original trustee name in the aforesaid original Deeds of Trust, by instrument filed of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, and recorded in said office in Book 2014 at Page 2514. WHEREAS, BancorpSouth Bank executed an Assignment whereby all of the above-re- ferenced Deeds of Trust were assigned to Rand Holding, LLC, which Assignment is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi in Book 2020 at Page 2805-2806. WHEREAS default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deeds of Trust in favor of Rand Holding, LLC, and the holder of the notes and Deeds of Trust having requested the Substitute Trustee to sell the subject property, I will, on the 11th day of March, 2020, offer for sale and sell at public outcry, between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. at the main front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County, at 152 Main Street in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described property, lying and being situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

That certain portion of land situated in Section 34, Township 8 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, said property including Lots A, One (1) and Two (2), Block One (1), PINE FOREST SUBDIVISION, a subdivision according to the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the

office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 2 at page 65 thereof, reference to which is hereby made in aid of and as a part of this description. Said property being

WHEREAS, the Note will be payable as to principal and interest from the proceeds of grants to the Authority, including but not limited to the grant described in the Grant Agreement, and/or from any other legally available revenues of the Authority; and WHEREAS, it is necessary, proper and economically feasible that the Authority issue the Note pursuant to the Act for the purposes herein stated and under the procedures hereinafter set forth and as provided by the Act, and

WHEREAS, the Authority expects that it will incur expenditures prior to the issuance of the Note, which it intends to reimburse with the proceeds of the Note upon the issuance thereof. This declaration of official intent to reimburse expenditures made prior to the issuance of the Bonds in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds is made pursuant to Department of Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2 (the reimbursement regulations). The Project for which such expenditures are made is the same as described hereinabove. The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for the Project is the amount hereinabove set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE AUTHORITY:

Section 1. This resolution is adopted by the Governing Body of the Authority pursuant to the Act and all matters and things recited in the premises and preamble of this resolution are found and determined to be true and accurate and incorporated herein.

Section 2. That the Governing Body does hereby declare its intention to issue the Note in a total amount not to exceed One Million Four Hundred Two Thousand Dollars (\$1,402,000) to raise money to pay for the costs of the Project.

Section 3. The Note will be an interim note of the Authority having a term less than three (3) years and payable from and secured by the proceeds of grants to the Authority, including but not limited to the grant described in the Grant Agreement, and/or from any other legally available revenues of the Authority.

Section 4. The Governing Body proposes to direct the issuance of the Note in the amount, for the purposes and secured as aforesaid at the regular meeting place of the Governing Body at the Main Street, Bay St Louis, Mississippi, at the hour of 4:30 o'clock p.m. on March 5, 2020.

Section 5. This resolution shall be published once a week for at least three (3) consecutive weeks in The Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper published in the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and having a general circulation in Hancock County and qualified under the provisions of the Act and Section 13-3-31, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended.

Section 6. The Secretary of the Governing Body shall be and is hereby directed to procure from the publisher of the aforesaid newspaper the customary proof of publication of this resolution and have the same before the Governing Body on the date and hour specified in Section 4 hereof.

Section 7. The Authority necessarily expects that it will incur expenditures prior to the issuance of the Bonds, which it intends to reimburse with the proceeds of the Bonds upon the issuance thereof. This declaration of official intent to reimburse expenditures made prior to the issuance of the bonds in anticipation of the issuance of the Bonds is made pursuant to the Department of Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2 (the reimbursement regulations). The Project for which such expenditures are made is the same as described hereinabove. The maximum principal amount of debt expected to be issued for the Project is the amount hereinabove set forth.

Section 8. If any one or more of the provisions of this resolution shall for any reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any of the other provisions of this resolution, but this resolution shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provision or provisions had not been contained herein.

Section 9. All orders, resolutions or proceedings of the Governing Body in conflict with any provision hereof shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, rescinded and set aside, but only to the extent of such conflict. For cause, this resolution shall become effective upon the adoption hereof.

Director Ron Duckworth seconded the Motion. After discussion, the matter was put to a roll call vote. The result was as follows:

Farron Hoda	voted: Yes
James Lamy	voted: Yes
Eddie Favre	voted: Yes
Ron Duckworth	voted: Yes
Patricia Cuevas	voted: Yes
Mike Favre	voted: Yes

Having received the unanimous affirmative vote of all Directors present, and constituting a majority of the entire Board membership, the Chairman declared the Motion carried and the Resolution adopted.

SO RESOLVED AND ORDERED on this, the 6th day of February, 2020.

Hancock County Utility Authority
By: /s/Eddie Favre
Chairman
ATTEST:
/s/David C. Pitale
Executive Director
PUBLISH: 02/12/20, 02/19/20, 02/26/20

100 "J. DONALD MATHERNE, PH.D."
100 CHERE L HAYWARD
490 CANDACE C. LECHLER
15544 CANDACE C. LECHLER
1715 PRESTON J. MAUFFRAY
203 SACRED HEART PARISH CENTE
1131 HUBBARDS WAVELAND
HARDWAR
42.75 GULF COAST BUSINESS SUPPL
103.57 SUN COAST/CLAYS BUS SUPPL
823.17 OFFICE DEPOT CREDIT PLAN
47.2 LOWE'S CREDIT SERVICES
755.44 COASTAL HARDWARE &
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27.14 NAPA AUTO PARTS
1725.59 "EAGLE ENERGY, INC."
3588.58 REINHART FOOD SERVICE
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777.48 COLLINS FILTER CO INC
130.34 FLOWERS BAKING COMPANY
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766.52 SCHULLY STRAWN AND
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178.04 S&L OFFICE SUPPLIES
15 "KIRK'S WHEEL & TIRE, LLC"
70 "ZONES, INC."
149.87 MCKESSON MEDICAL
SURGICAL
363.47 "FACT, LLC"
3430.57 CAR PARTS CENTER
2112.57 NEWELL PAPER COMPANY
927.3 GULF COAST BUSINESS SUPPL
142.24 SUN COAST/CLAYS BUS SUPPL
239.25 SLADE'S
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99.5 CLAIBORNE HILL SUPERMARKE
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437.79 "KIRK'S WHEEL & TIRE, LLC"
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168.75 LAND INVESTMENTS, INC."
345.25 "ZONES, INC."
425.4 HENRY SCHEIN ANIMAL HEALT
965 PERFORMANCE MARINE PLUS
208.52 "PARTS TOWN, LLC"
175 SEA COAST ECHO
30 ANIMAL HOSPITAL OF DIAMON
19.34 SANDRA WHEATLEY
27.15 REINHART FOOD SERVICE LOU
100 JUDITH LADNER
100 ANN WILLIAMSON
441 TATE INSURANCE AGENT
118.93 JACQUELINE NECAISE
2333.92 INDEPENDENT HEALTH
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1754.58 SCHULLY STRAWN AND
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265 SERENITY TRANSPORT SERVIC
350 EDMOND FAHEY FUNERAL HOME
858 REDD PEST SOLUTIONS
23.2 SARAH JOHNSON
58 ZOETIS LLC
325 KELLAR TIM
796 CAROLINE E HAAS
18359 SEA COAST ECHO
159 CENTER FOR EDU & EMPLOYME
112 SEA COAST ECHO
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115.13 STEPHANIE LADNER
3416.67 RIVER BEND VETERINARY
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118.75 DAVID'S CHAINSAW &
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98.13 S&L OFFICE SUPPLIES
758.5 RANDALL L HOLMES
5368.82 FLEETCOR TECHNOLOGIES
4281.46 C SPIRE WIRELESS
2753.69 IN-SYNCH SYSTEMS
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1584.24 ROBERT W. MCCREE
25 SECRETARY OF STATE
650 "OCHSNER CLINIC, LLC"
300 DEPT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
468.93 KELLAR TIM
894.38 AT & T PRO-CABS
606.87 C SPIRE WIRELESS
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36 "UTILITY SERVICES, LLC"
34.75 STANDARD DEDEAUX WATER DI
31 "CROZAT, BRIAN"
31 "LINDBERG, JAYNE"
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25 "FLEMING, BRANDON"
25 "CARMICHAEL, RANDALL"
31 "PIKE, MARGARET"
35 "BROOM, REBA"
31 "JACOBI, KEVIN"
31 "ORAMA, ANGELA"
31 "ARRIETA, ARACELI"
31 "MELLER, MELINDA"
27 "JAMES, CYBIL"
27 "DWYER, PATRICK"
31 "LUDDIE, DEBRA"
25 "AMMENTORP, MADELINE"
31 "STANFORD, CRYSTAL"
1 "ARRIETA, ARACELI"
25 "CORDEIRO, PAUL"
27 "BARRIOS, DAPHNE"
25 "DEDEAUX, MICHAEL"
25 "HALL, DOROTHY"
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CO
216.92 JOHN M. CAZEUX
177.48 R. MICHELLE STEWART
31605 "YARBOROUGH LAW FIRM,
P.L.L.C."
585.6 POSTMASTER
348.9 QUEST DIAGNOSTICS
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50 AIMIE CECCATO
50 ALBERT LOUIS JEANREAU
1666.67 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
50 DONNAESTOPINAL
6250 HANCOCK COUNTY HEALTH DEP
100333.33 HANCOCK COUNTY
LIBRARY
50 "LEWIS, KAREN"
50 LYNN SEALS
200 NEOPOST USA INC
833.33 RED CROSS - MS GULF COAST
140.74 "ROBINSON, LATINA"
404.7 RSPV
40 "SAUCIER, TONY"
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198.23 "KIRK'S WHEEL & TIRE, LLC"
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332.65 SOUTHERN PRINTING
133.28 HUBBARDS WAVELAND
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568.51 GULF COAST BUSINESS SUPPL
654.09 "DAVID'S CHAINSAW &
LAWNMO
211.6 SUN COAST/CLAYS BUS SUPPL
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219.45 SPEEDY PRINTING
200 CRESO INC
975 LIGHTNING QUICK SIGNS
223.35 LOWE'S CREDIT SERVICES
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RENTAL
245.16 SHERWIN WILLIAMS
626.25 "EVIDENT, INC."
462.97 NAPA AUTO PARTS
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236 MALLEY'S SUPPLY LLC
71.96 BARNEY'S POLICE SUPPLIES
209 KENTWOOD SPRING WATER CO.
288.41 "TURAN FOLEY MOTORS, INC."
25 ACE DATA STORAGE
1480.77 "EAGLE ENERGY, INC."
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1695 "BADGEPASS, INC."
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cessible raised planting beds, seating for outdoor classroom use, rain water collection systems and a walking labyrinth for meditation.

The edible plants will include tomatoes, squash, cucumbers, potatoes, beans, carrots, watermelon and blueberries along with herbs including basil, thyme, rosemary and various mints. The small orchard will contain lemon trees, satsuma and kumquat. The garden is designed to produce vegetables year round including fall/winter vegetables, kale, broccoli, cauliflower, lettuce, spinach, Brussels sprouts, onions and garlic.

“Eating veggies and fruits fresh from the earth is an important opportunity few of our students have ever had,” said Ms. Wheeler. A wash station will be placed in the garden for students to rinse and taste the fresh vegetables and fruits.

Ground Zero Museum in Waveland is providing the use of its full industrial kitchen at no charge for healthy cooking classes. Local chefs have volunteered to teach a summer cooking program for students.

The Wellness Garden will become part of the school’s academic curricula. The 8th grade science class will design and construct a large rain barrel/water harvesting system with solar powered pumps to capture stormwater runoff from the existing gutter system. Local environmental engineers, landscape architects and ecologists will assist the students with their work.

Art classes will create outdoor displays including educational signage and large murals to be placed around the garden. Math students will learn the cost of maintaining the garden and cost comparisons between store-bought food versus growing food in the garden.

Plans are for some of the food grown in the garden to be sold at



Photo courtesy of BWSD

The BWMS Garden Club.

the local farmer’s market with any remaining food donated to families in need through a local women’s support home. Several dinner night fundraisers off site and in the garden are planned, Ms. Wheeler said.

Dr. Sandra Reed, superintendent of the Bay-Waveland School District, said the project could benefit students in a number of ways. “As our students struggle with many health issues including obesity, diabetes, etc., the garden project will expose them to a more healthy way of living. Additionally, the project will provide our students with foods they may not have in abundance in their daily eating habits,” she said.

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Lady Hawks claim Class III bowling state title over Clinton

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The Hancock Lady Hawks bowling team got lots of love on Friday, February 14th at the state bowling championships when they defeated Clinton High School 2,487 to 2,480 in total pins in the state finals to claim the program's first state championship in the sport.

The Lady Hawks join the boys team with a state title for the sport. The Hawks won their title in 2013.

Hancock head coach Trevin Burge commented, "The girls have worked extremely hard this year and were focused not to let Clinton gain a three-peat in the alleys. We had been to the state tournament before in previous years so it helped to have a team that had experienced that before. The girls were focused on what they had to do and went out and accomplished it. I am very proud of their effort and how they represented themselves and Hancock County at the tournament."

The Lady Hawks finished behind d'Iberville in the regional championships but finished ahead of the Lady Warriors in the state tournament. The Lady Warriors were third with 2,255 total pins followed by Northwest Rankin 1,881, Desoto Central 1,849, Biloxi 1,801, West Harrison 1,774, and Oxford with 1,733 total pins.



Photo courtesy of Trevin Burge

Members of the Hancock Lady Hawks bowling team pose with the state championship after the match. Team members are (back row, left to right) Jeannie Young, Julia Smith, head coach Trevin Burge, MiKayla Smith, and Jena Stallings, (front row, left to right) Chelsey Kihneman, MacKenzie Conway, and Alissa McGill.

In the state tournament eight-team field, the teams squared off each other and the two teams with the highest pin total from all five players advanced to the state finals. In the state final match, the two teams competing played a Baker Cup final which was comprised of all five players playing two frames each in alternating fashion. The two teams played a best-of-three format and Hancock swept Clinton 3-0 in the finals.

Burge added, "We worked hard this year and became a rather deep team which is what you need when you get to the state tournament. In the Baker Cup finals format, a team needs to be deep and we were."

The Lady Hawks have just one senior - Jena Stallings - who has been with Burge since her seventh grade year.

Other team members include McKenzie Conway, MiKayla Smith, Julia Smith, Alissa McGill, and Jeannie Young.

The Lady Hawks look to be set up for another run at the title next year with five of their top six players coming back.

The Lady Hawks stopped a Clinton three-peat with their title run ending two consecutive years of finishing as state runner-up to Clinton.

Lecia Grinnett of Clinton was the individual champion with a pin total 570. Rounding out the top five and the All-State selections were Stallings with 511, Conway 507, Smith 504 and Paige Wigan of Clinton with 501.

Over the last eight years, the coast has won five titles. St. Martin has claimed a boys championship and d'Iberville has won two boys titles.

Hancock is the only team in South Mississippi that has a boys and girls state title in bowling.

This season the Hawks placed third overall in the boys state tournament with a pin total of 2,856 behind Class III champion d'Iberville 3,169 and runner-up Clinton with 3,009. Rounding out the field of eight were Northwest Rankin in fourth with 2,616 followed by Madison Central 2,615, Desoto Central 2,562, St. Martin 2,461, and Lewisburg with 2,325.

Nick Cumberland of Hancock was selected as All-State and was fourth overall with a pin total of 652 including the state's first-ever perfect game of 300.

The Class I titles were swept by Kossuth while the Class II girls title was won by Neshoba Central and the boys title was claimed by Lafayette.



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Tigers claim Division 8-4A crown over Pirates 28-26, Lady Hawks fall to Harrison Central 46-41 in division finals

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Last week was full of drama on the hardwood with several area teams advancing to the finals of their respective division tournaments.

The Bay High Tigers stood tall over the Pass Christian Pirates in the boys final in Division 8-4A 28-26 while the Pass Christian Lady Pirates fell to Moss Point. The Lady Hawks also fell in the finals of the Class 6A division tournament 46-41 to Harrison Central.

The Tigers (20-9) defeated Moss Point 43-41 to advance to the division finals. In that game, Elijah Curry tallied 31 of Bay High's 43 points while CJ Loftin added 10 points.

The Tigers turned around and outlasted Pass Christian 28-26 in the championship game. Curry scored nine points followed by Khalil Bell with eight points and Loftin with seven.

The Pirates (15-14) beat St. Stanislaus 54-38 before falling to Bay High. Against SSC, Pass Christian was led by Xavier Chamberlain with 17 points followed by Koby Hathorn with 12 and Andrew Moffett added 11 points.

In the finals against Bay High, Chamberlain scored 10 points.

SSC (9-19) fell to Vancleave 58-53 behind Brandon Bordelon's 24 points. The Rocks fell to the Pirates 54-38 as Nour Tayara scored 15 points.

The Rocks finished as the #4-seed falling to Moss Point 38-31. Bordelon led the charge with 10 points.

In girls action, the Bay High Lady Tigers finished the tournament as a #3-seed falling to Moss Point 48-31 before beating Vancleave.

The Pass Christian Lady Pirates (15-11) fell to Moss Point in the division finals after beating Vancleave to advance.

In 4A boys, Curry was named Best Overall Player while Kyren Galloway earned Most Outstanding Offensive Player. Loftin and Bell also earned All-Division honors. Hathorn of Pass Christian was also selected as Best Offensive Player. Andrew Moffett earned Best Defensive Player while Xavier Chamberlain, Darion Lee and Kameron White were named All-Division.

Bordelon and Nour Tayara earned All-Division from SSC. The OLA Crescents end the season at 1-21.

In Class 6A, the Hancock Lady Hawks (20-9) beat West Harrison 52-47 to advance to the finals of the division tournament.

In the finals, Hancock led by 11 points with seven minutes to play against Harrison Central only to fall 46-41.

In the game, Hancock was led by Maddie Ladner with 14 points and KK Randall added 12 points.

In the boys division, Hancock dropped their game against Harrison Central 60-35. Cole Nacaise

led Hancock with nine points.

In the consolation game, Hancock narrowly defeated West Harrison 54-52 behind Quintin Fowler's 15 points and Seth Penton's 12 points to qualify for the state playoffs for the first time in 11 years.

The Red Rebels of Harrison Central beat Gulfport 53-45 in the Class 6A division finals.

The girls started the state playoffs on Monday with Bay High, Pass Christian and Hancock all in action.

The Lady Tigers took a long trip to Raymond but fell 49-39 to finish the season at 9-15.

The Lady Pirates fell to South Pike 47-14 to close their season out at 15-11.

The Hancock Lady Hawks hosted Terry High School in the first round but were not able to handle their front line tandem and fell 57-51. Both Jenna Garriga and Maddie Ladner fouled out of the game.

Jacey Garriga cut the lead to 53-51 with a three-pointer with 18 seconds left but could not get any closer.

Maddie Ladner led Hancock with 24 points followed by Jaycie Chess with 12 points. Brianna Taylor led Terry with 18 points.

The Lady Pirates fell in the first round to South Pike 47-14.

The boys played their first round games on Tuesday evening. More game details will be available in next Wednesday's edition. See you at the games!



**GAMES
ON TAP THIS WEEK**

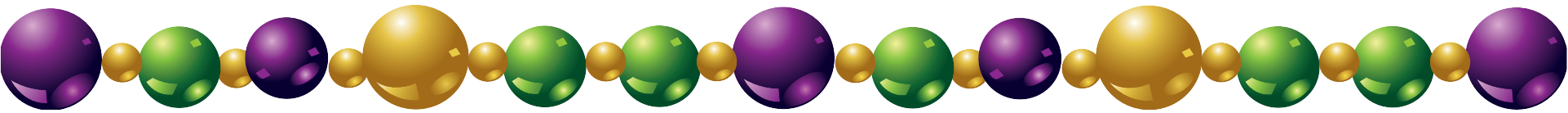
THURSDAY
• Baseball: Bay High at Purvis, 6 p.m.
• Softball: Bay High vs Poplarville, 6:30 p.m.
• Softball: Hancock at Moss Point, 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY
• Baseball: Hancock vs PRC, 7 p.m.
• Track and Field: Hancock at William Carey, 4 p.m.

SATURDAY
• Baseball: Bay High vs Poplarville, 6 p.m.
• Baseball: Hancock vs Picayune, 1 p.m.
• Baseball: St. Stanislaus vs St. Patrick, 11 a.m.
• St. Stanislaus vs Oak Forest Academy, 4 p.m.
• Softball: OLA at Sacred Heart Classic, TBA

MONDAY
• Softball: Hancock vs Biloxi, 11:30 a.m.

TUESDAY
• Baseball: Bay High vs St. Patrick, 6 p.m.
• Baseball: St. Stanislaus vs Forrester County AHS at PRCC, 4:30 p.m.



AN ENCHANTED CORONATION FOR THE KREWE OF KAMEHAMEHA



From left, Mary Alice Sierveld, Noni Buchanan, Eva Amos, Jan Wiley, Queen Janie Lamb Dropco, King Ken Dropco, Gary Wiley, Hawes Amos, Bill Buchanan and Rick Sierveld.

SEA COAST ECHO

Diamondhead Boaters Association, Krewe of Kamehameha spend an evening in the enchanted garden bidding adieu to their 2019 royalty while declaring a new King and Queen on January 4, 2020. The krewe held their annual coronation ball at the Diamondhead Country Club where the evening transported attendees into a magical garden. Colorful hanging paper lanterns, illusion twinkle light columns, garden backdrops and gorgeous floral table arrangements set the stage for the fairytale atmosphere which was guided by the creative hands of Roxanne Worak and the originality of Teresa Ertel.

Chuck Ingraham, the master of ceremonies for the evening, kicked off the festivities with a little playful fun. He entered from the back of the room carrying an octopus puppet to Beatles song “Octopus Garden”. In true boaters’ fashion, royalty from other krewes and past kings and queens in

attendance from the fairland of Diamondhead were acknowledged prior to presenting the 2019 court for a final time. King Akua Kai 44th Joe Murray and Queen Mary Craig Murray said goodbye to a glorious season by bestowing the prestigious award, the Royal Dolphin to Hank Fried. Their reign officially came to an end by crowning new royalty, King Akua Kai XLV, Ken Dropco and his Queen Janie Lamb Dropco.

Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov “Procession of the Nobles” filled the ballroom as King Ken and Queen Janie’s 2020 court was introduced. First to be presented, Duke Rick Sierveld and Maid Mary Alice Sierveld. Mary Alice wore a powder blue dress with floral appliques. Duke Bill Buchanan and Maid Noni Buchanan, dressed in an aqua jeweled gown, followed. In true pageantry, Duke Hawes Amos and Maid Eva Amos strolled through the crowd. Eva wore a ballerina pink dress with a full satin skirt. Pale lavender

with a sweetheart neckline was the frock, Lady-in-waiting, Jan Wiley wore while being escorted by Equerry Gary Wiley.

The balls romantic theme was a fitting for newlyweds, King Ken and Queen Janie Dropco. Queen Janie wore her breathtaking wedding dress. Her gown had a light peach embellished bodice with a full tulle skirt that sparkled with silvery tones when King Ken spun her around on the dance floor. “Some Enchanted Evening” by the Temptations played while the newly coronated couple lead their loyal subjects with a first dance. Earlier in the evening, King Ken shared the story of how he met his Queen on a Topless ride with the Topless Club, a convertible enthusiast group in Diamondhead. Queen Janie, a New Orleans native, listened on as her husband addressed his subjects with the heartfelt anecdote. This fairytale coronation of the Krewe of Kamehameha 2020 royalty was truly a magical night filled with the



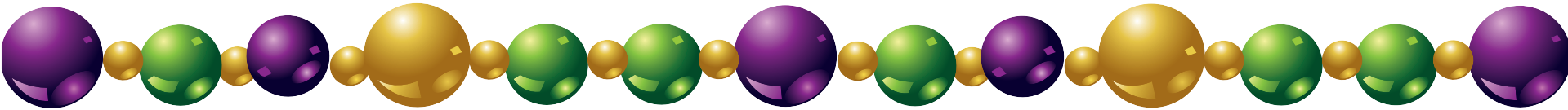
King and Queen: King Akua Kai XLV, Ken Dropco and Queen Janie Lamb Dropco.

music stylings of Johnny Fung, delicious food, and wonderful libations.

Alas, many fairytales end with a coronation of a King and Queen, but don’t fret fair readers. King Ken and Queen Janie will continue their story with a Mardi Gras ball at the Diamondhead Country Club on February 8th, 2020. Until then, farewell for now from the kingdom of Diamondhead, and may all your carnival events be enchanting.



Queen and Maids: From left standing: Eva Amos, Queen Janie Lamb Dropco and Jan Wiley. From left sitting: Mary Alice Sierveld and Noni Buchanan.



SELENE TRAVELS TO DIXIE FOR 2020



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Selene Royal Court from left, Maids Jane Emry Aguda, Gail Gonsoulin, Sue Wilson Warren, Queen Angie McClure Burkhardt, King Steven Burkhardt, Dukes Thomas Warren, Kory Lawrence, Cat Aguda. Also pictured are Floor Lieutenants Lynn Cox and Lloyd Ramirez.

BY SUE W. WARREN

Magnolias and Moonlight, Cotton and River Boats, Moss-Hung Trees, and Graceful Ladies in beautiful gowns escorted by Handsome Gentlemen in tuxedos—visions of the old South overflowed the elegantly-appointed Emerald Ballroom at the Diamondhead Country Club on January 18 as the Krewe of Selene traveled to none other than storied Dixie for 2020. Sandy Hatem’s vision of the Old South truly took Diamondhead to another time and place.

The evening began when the ever-popular Selene Dancers burst into the ballroom in red and black riverboat dancehall costumes and tambourines, performing to a rousing calliope and banjo rendition of “Waiting for the Robert E. Lee”, led and choreographed by the talented Mary Young Mizell. Dinah Knobloch took the microphone and introduced the emcee for the evening, Pam Hense, who entered the ballroom from the rear to the fan-favorite and rarely-heard “Dixie”. Recognition of royalty visiting from Krewes in Diamondhead followed: King Scott McNamee and Queen Jamie Morgan, Krewe of Diamondhead; King Ken Dropco and Queen Janie Dropco, Boaters Association; King Tim Kennedy and Queen Kelly Kennedy, Krewe of Olympus. Previous Kings and Queens of the Krewe of Selene in attendance were also recognized.

Founder and Captain of the Krewe of Selene, Terri Downie, made a grand entrance escorted by Hoppy Smith and Mark Cuevas. The Queen was wearing a stunning black gown, mantel and headpiece and made her way into the ballroom to take her place for the festivities to the most appropriate “Mame”. Emcee Pam reminisced a bit on all things dear to the hearts of Southerners and Dixie: home of sweet tea—also known as the house wine of the South—pecan pie, gumbo, and

Georgia peaches. The ubiquitous pine tree and sweet-smelling gardenias could also be included in this list!!! Pam also touched on various possible originations of the term “Dixie”, beginning with the minstrel song written by Daniel Decatur Emmett in 1859, to the Mason Dixon Line drawn in 1767, and ending in New Orleans with their ten-dollar note and the French for 10—“dix”—written on the back. Very interesting!!!

On that note—New Orleans—Maid Jane Emry Aguda and Duke Kory Lawrence made their promenade to the State Song of the beautiful State of Mississippi, “Mississippi Mud”. Appropriately, Lady-in-Waiting Sue Warren and Equerry Tom Warren gave a nod to their home State of North Carolina with “Nothing Could Be Finer Than to Be in Carolina in the Morning” as they came into the ballroom and proceeded to follow their fellow Court members, greeting friends, acknowledging the Emcee and the Captain, and promenading around the dance floor before taking their places on the stage with the Court. The ladies were assisted to the stage by Floor Lieutenants Lynn Cox and Lloyd Ramirez, Jr.

Selene is honored in 2020 to have the first legacy king in Diamondhead, King Endymius the 22nd, Steven Burkhardt, son of King Endymius the 4th, Henry Burkhardt. King Steve was attended by his grandsons, Pages Stephen and Logan Eaton. As King Steve entered the ballroom and progressed to the stage, greeting revelers from side-to-side, he was met by Captain Terri who escorted him around the dance floor and to the steps of the stage where he took his place to await the entrance of his Queen.

The moment we had all been waiting for was no disappointment when a radiant and regal Queen

Angie McClure-Burkhardt appeared amid fanfare and applause and slowly made her way to the stage, greeting her royal subjects, acknowledging friends and family. She grandly made her promenade down the aisle and around the dance floor before taking her seat of honor on the stage. Queen Angie was also attended by Pages Stephen and Logan Eaton.

The Queen was spectacular in the magnificent gown and crown of her mother-in-law, Queen Alice Faye Burkhardt, Queen of the Krewe of Diamondhead in 1996. What an honor!!! The beautiful gown was white satin overlaid with white lace and heavily beaded in gold beads and white pearls, sporting a large satin bow on the bustle and refashioned for the Queen by Janet Roche. Likewise, King Steve was honored to wear the crown of his father King Henry Burkhardt. King Henry is fondly called “King Daddy” by his family!

The gowns of all the maids were various shades of hunter green, reminiscent of the dress that Scarlet O’Hara famously made from her mother’s green velvet curtains in the much-loved Southern classic, “Gone With The Wind”. The gowns were complimented by gold opera-length fingerless gloves, reflecting the gold in the Queen’s ball gown. Maid Jane was attired in a gorgeous green brocade gown with gold lace extending from the bodice down the back to the train. Maid Gail chose a stunning green slim-fitting sequined dress, and Maid Sue wore a dark green fitted sequined mermaid gown layered with lace and net, also sporting a train. The King was “kingly” in white tails and gold bow tie while his dukes wore traditional and elegant black tuxedos.

Always a delight to the crowd, Moonbeam Queen Jazmyne Eaton and Moonbeam King Jordan Woods made their entrance and paid homage to those in attendance, to the Captain,

and to the Queen and King. Queen Jazmyne and Pages Stephen and Logan are King Steve’s grandchildren and their parents are Maurice and Jessica Eaton of Kiln, MS. King Jordan is the son of Queen Angie and also son of Jody Woods of Diamondhead.

After the Queen and King were seated on their thrones, the Selene Dancers exploded onto the dance floor for their second appearance of the evening. In eye-catching blue sequined costumes, the Dancers delighted the audience with an exciting Rockettes-styled number to “Up A Lazy River”, a nod to the early mode of transportation in the South for those lucky enough to be near water. Many thanks to Mary and her Dancers Jeannie Carapetian, Lou Ann Cox, June Curtin, Renie Dack, Linda Dawley, Gail Hutchings, Pam Marshall, Leslie O’Neill, Barbara Quebedeaux, Jenny Ramirez. Suzy Smith, Gayla Torguson, and Kelly Torguson. These ladies ROCK!!!

Toasts were made by Emcee Pam and King Steve and guests of the Queen and Queen were recognized: Allen and Denise Auglair, the Queen’s daughter Shannon McClure and her escort Riley Blaylock from Florida, Kay and Jerry Peppenger from Florida, and the King’s son Maurice and his wife Jessica Eaton of Kiln, MS. Also recognized were Lynn and Cookie Naquin, Tommy and Martha Grantham, the Queen’s Aunt Brenda Melton and guest, and the King’s parents Henry and Alice Faye Burkhardt.

The crowd cheered during the Royal Promenade as the entire Court made their way down the stairs to take a final turn around the dance floor behind the King and Queen as the Captain made her exit. The first Royal Dance was a lovely waltz performed to “Moon River” and choreographed by Maid Jane and Duke Cat Aguda. The Queen and King were spotlighted for the beginning of the elegant dance and were joined by their Royal Court, as-



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Queen Angie McClure Burkhardt, Captain Terri Downie, King Steven Burkhardt.



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Duke Thomas Warren and Maid Sue Wilson Warren.

sisted by Lynn Cox. In the middle of the dance, the Moonbeam Queen and King and the Pages took the floor to wiggle and giggle and gyrate to the delight of everyone to “I Got a Feeling” by the Black-Eyed Peas. The Royal Dance came to a close with a return to the waltz by the Royalty and Court, showcasing the Queen and King. Well done, Queen Angie and King Steve!

A delicious meal followed the festivities before an evening of dancing to the music of Dr. Rock and the Interns. Special thanks to Sandy Hatem for her vision for the evening, Mary Mizell who directed and

choreographed the Tableau, Rich Lindquist and Doug Maxwell (spotlight and music), Harold Dawley, and to all who assisted in decorating and making the evening such a success.

The Queen, King, and Court enjoyed their trip “Up a Lazy River”, as they were “Waiting for the Robert E. Lee” so “Mame” could board the riverboat to make her journey in the “Mississippi Mud” on her “Way Down Yonder in New Orleans” and so that she could see a beautiful “Carolina in the Morning”. They are all looking forward to seeing what is in store for the Court of 2020!!!